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A MOTHER'S LOVE.

We love the friends our hearts hold dear.
Our sisters and our brothers,
But most of all, we ought to love
Our dear devoted mothers,
Although this world is dark and drear.
Its joys partake of sadness,
Yet, now and then there will appear
A beam of love and gladness.

A friend may love us long and well,
And cling through joy and sorrow:
But *then* some evil cursed spell
May chill his love to-morrow!
But firmer than the love of friends,
And stronger than all other.
The purest love we ever knew
Is that of our dear mother.

A sister's love is fond and true,
And full of tender feeling,
Appreciated by the few,
And often unrevealing;
But dearer than a sister's love
And fonder than all others,
The dearest, sweetest love on earth
Is a devoted mother's.

A brother's love is firm and true,
A father loves us longer:
A wife's devotion greater still,
And her affection stronger.
But dearer than those loves combined,
And sweeter than all others,
There is no love as true and kind
As a devoted mother's.

They tell that spirits hover round,
From evil to detain us;
That friends, whom once we knew on earth,
In Heaven may still befriend us;
But dearer here than angels love,
And purer than all others,
The love on earth we need the most,
Is a devoted mother's.

Then let us prize our mothers more,
While they are left to love us;
And cherish in our hearts their words,
If now they watch above us;
And ne'er forget, or trust with slight,
That love above all others,
Which filled, forever burning bright,
The hearts of our dear mothers.

LAY HIM LOW.

Close his eyes; his work is done,
What to him is friend or foeman—
Rise of moon or set of sun,
Hand of man or kiss of woman?
Lay him low—lay him where
The flowers bloom and all is fair,
What cares he? he cannot know
Lay him low!

As man may, he fought his fight,
Proved the truth of his endeavor!
Let him sleep in solemn night,
Sleep forever and forever.
Lay him low—lay him where
The flowers bloom and all is fair.
What cares he? he cannot know.
Lay him low!

Fold him in his country's stars—
Roll the drum and fire the volley—
What to him are all our wars!
What, but death-bemocking folly?
Lay him low—lay him where
The flowers bloom and all is fair,
What cares he? he cannot know.
Lay him low!

Leave him to God's watching eye,
Trust him to the hand that made him,
Mortal love weeps idly by,
God alone has power to aid him.
Lay him low—lay him where
The flowers bloom and all is fair.
What cares he? he cannot know.
Lay him low!

Select Miscellany.

PLAYING SECESH.

BY RUFUS HARE.

We had a genuine Secesh at our hospital, and the lady-visitors were in ecstacies with him. It is a fact. I did not think the women could be such fools before. Whether it was because of the novelty, or because of the romance, or because of one of their inexplicable whims, it is hard to say; but they certainly treated him with flattering distinction. An ugly dog he was, too; short, thick-set and swarthy, with a half-healed wound over one eye, which did not add to his beauty. He was captured after Fair Oaks, being out on picket. And ill he had been, undeniably ill, ever since he came North. A complicated affection of the heart, they pronounced it, which would not admit of his removal; so he staid on with us instead of going down to the fort with the rest of the prisoners. Nominal as his captivity was, it was galling to him; and he was sullen as the mischief, withal he got the lion's share of the jellies, flowers, books, and other niceties which came to the hospital.

It was ridiculous to see him with his lady-sympathizers. But it was provoking as well. We poor fellows, on the broad of our backs, stiff and sore with loyal wounds, bit our lips with vexation many a time when we saw the delicacies travelling past our Federal mouths, and dropping into the ugly little traitor's. Not that we begrudged him the trifles; but there is a medium in all things, and the women ought to have known better.

In the next bed to mine was my chum, Ike Russell, the greatest limb and most thorough practical joker in the regiment. He was an incorrigible fellow. The doctors had given him up twice since the fever got hold of him: but his constitution was of gutta-percha. It would stretch to the fullest extent before it would break.

"They may give me up, like a bad riddle, as often as they like," was his characteristic remark; "but I don't think they'll play the 'Dead March,' over me yet awhile."

And they didn't. It was a hand-to-hand struggle, but Ike fought the fever as fiercely as he had fought the foe, and conquered. He was now convalescent, and most indignant, as was natural, at the partiality shown Secesh.

"See here, Rufus," he said to me one night, in a heat; "don't you think this is pretty near played out?"

"What?"

"This jelly and flower business."

"I should judge so, my son."

"It is a burning shame," went on Ike, wrathfully. "I didn't think Northern girls could be such geese. I wonder what the mischief they see in him. The fellow is as ugly as a guerilla."

"*Chacun a son gout*," said I, thoughtfully.

"That's so: but I've made up my mind it shall not last."

"How can you help it?"

"Leave that to me, I'm no novice. Before the week is out, I warrant you we shall have plenty of delicacies and light reading."

There the conversation dropped.

The next morning, on opening my eyes, I became aware of a change. The Rebel's bed was opposite mine—it was empty. Secesh was *non est*. The man who was there yesterday, who had been there all these days, never able to lift or turn him self, without help, was gone.

"Hallo! Ike," said I, poking that gentleman with my crutch; "have you spirited him away? What has become of the pet of the ladies?"

Ike raised himself on his elbow and stared at the vacant bed.

"Ye gods! he is gone!"

"Fact," said I. "Thou art gone from my gaze, like a beautiful dream!"

"Bosh!" cried Ike, laughing at the adjective. "Horrible would have been more to the point. But bless my soul! Hare, what can have become of him?"

'For further particulars inquire within,' said I, tapping him jocosely on the head with my crutch.

Ike looked at me.

"You think I have had something to do with it?" You were never more mistaken in your life. "I only hope," added he, pleasantly, "that they have sent him to the Fort and may keep him on bread and water for a month. Rufus, my warrior, that Secesh was the Mordecai in the gate."

"He will not be likely to trouble you again," said the Surgeon, who was passing.

"What's the reason he won't?" we both chorused.

"No levity, boys. He is dead!"

"Dead?"

Ike's face was sobered at once. He was wild enough, in all conscience, but far from heartless.

"When, in the name of Lincoln, did he die?"

"About daybreak this morning."

"I didn't dream of such a thing. Poor rascal! Very sudden—wasn't it?"

"Not to me. I anticipated as much from his disease—the heart, you know," said the Surgeon, with professional *sang froid*, moving away.

Ike's mercurial nature was recovering from the shock.

"Hold on a minute, Doc," he called out. "A word with you, if you please."

The Surgeon turned back. He was a grave, decided man, of staunch Union principles; and I fancied he had not relished the sympathy with Secesh any more than ourselves.

"Be quick, then," he said: "I have my hands full."

Ike had a face of brass.

"I only wanted to know where that Rebel's uniform was?"

The Doctor looked at him sharply. He knew his reputation.

"What do you want with it?"

"That isn't a fair question," said Ike, boldly. "It is certainly of no use to its owner now, unless as a shroud. If you have no objections, I'll borrow it for a few days."

The Surgeon shrugged his shoulders.

"You are welcome to it. None of your practical jokes, remember, Russell." And off he went.

Ike spread out his wrapper with both hands, as soon as his back was turned, and danced a Spanish fandango, which nearly sent the boys into convulsions.

"*Veni, vidi, vici*, Hare," he whispered to me. "Now for some fun."

That day we had a shoal of visitors. It was quite the rage last spring, you may remember, to visit the hospitals. There was a good deal of genuine charity and a good deal of idle curiosity, as well. People seemed to feel that there was something so good and so evangelical in walking through the wards and talking patronizingly to the sufferers. It was a form of philanthropy which was both cheap and comfortable; at least, for those who were not overburdened with sensitiveness.

In the afternoon there came a bevy of young lady teachers. They were all strangers, but had evidently heard of the caged lion.

"We have been told there was a rebel here. Can you point him out to us?" one of their number asked of the Ward-master.

With an ill-suppressed smile, the official indicated a bed.

"That is his bed," was the reply; true, as far as it went; but poor Secesh would never sleep on it again.

At the little table beside it, however, Ike was gotten up, like a tableau vivant. The rascal was as handsome as he should be, in the black and green uniform of the departed rebel. Interestingly pale, as became a captain chieftain of the C. S. A., he was reading from a volume of blue and gold; his elbow, on the table, his head supported by his hand. Ike had a nice hand; brown enough, to be sure, but well shaped and slender. The young ladies' eyes lit upon it at once. The *tout ensemble* was faultless. But they seemed nonplussed. There was some little debate with their pretty heads together.

"An Apollo Belvidere, upon my word, Lilly"

"How queer! And they say he was so ugly, and not a bit young."

"Such a love of a hand, too! and look at that profile, will you, girls? If the rebels are all like him, I—well! (ahem!) I wouldn't mind living in the South, myself."

"For shame! Maybe he isn't the rebel, after all".

"But then his uniform? there isn't another like it in the ward."

"Wait; I'll ask him to make sure."

Ike, the rogue, had heard every word as well as myself; but he read on, severely unconscious. A plump little Miss approached and laid an orange on the table. Ike raised his head for the first time, and bowed with grave, courteous surprise, quite refreshing to witness. His great brilliant eyes, staggered her; but she managed to lisp out very timidly:

"Are you the rebel, sir?"

"Who told you I was?" quoth Ike, with a sweet smile—a trifle pensive, however.

"Oh dear! I don't know, indeed. I think the man at the door said something about it; and then your uniform, you know, is different from all the rest! But,"—winding up pensively—"but you arn't the rebels, after all, are you?"

"If rebellion, Ma'am," said Isaac, throwing back his head, and coming the heavy thing, after Forrest—"If rebellion consists in loyalty to the noblest Government that was ever framed, than I am indeed a rebel!"

"How treasonable!" murmured a strong minded young lady.

"But how eloquent!" rejoined a weak minded one.

"And you really think your Government the noblest ever framed?" said a third.

"Unquestionably."

"And that we are all mistaken?—all upon the wrong track?"

"As far as regards your present views, at least," returned Ike with a twinkle of the eye.

"Deluded man? But you will learn better in time. How long have you been here?" put in the strong minded again.

"Some two or three weeks. I was taken after the battle of Fair Oaks"—with billious fever, he might have added but he prudently forbore.

"I hope they have treated you well," replied the plump little Miss, simpering.

"A true soldier never complains," said Ike, with a look suggestive of secret martyrdom.

I thought I should have exploded, I was forced to dive under the quilts, to recover myself. When I came to the surface again the conversation was in cheerful progress. One of the girls had secured the blue and gold volume, and was examining the fly leaf. On it was written in Ike's characteristic hand, "St. George Algernon Fairfield, Sumter, North Corolina." The rascal had prepared the ruse most carefully.

"What a distinguished name," whispered one. "I wonder if it is his own?"

"Is this your book, sir?" said another, looking over her shoulder.

Ike bowed with the grace of a 'chivalry' and sighed profoundly.

"I suppose it recals your name, Mr. Fairfield," said the plump little Miss, sympathetically; "and your Southern friends, and all their sweet recollections of by-gone days. Ah! what a terrible thing is civil war!"

"My home—my friends," murmured Ike brokenly, and making much of his handkerchief; "Do not mention them! It is more than I can bear. This weakness may seem unmanly, but the Fairfields are a sensitive race, and—and—" he buried his face in his hands, and added in a stage whisper, "my home—alas! it is mine no longer!"

Which was a fact: for he had been sold out by the sheriff just before he joined the Army.

"Why don't you take the oath of allegiance?" said the strong minded girl, rather irrelevantly.

Ike drew himself up to his full height, (five feet eleven in his stocken soles) and regarded her with intense scorn.

"Such suggestions are unnecessary, Miss!" he returned, folding his arms with dignity; and from any but a lady, would be insulting!

"Fie, Lilly!" replied the plump little Miss, who was evidently smitten; "you should not be so blunt. Consider his unpleasant circumstances. I have no doubt, now," she added, in a tone intended for the pseudo rebel, "you find your present society very uncongenial."

"Mudsills!" cried Ike forcibly; "greasy mechanics! shoemakers and carriers? Shall it be said that the scion of the St. Georges, the Algernons, and the Farifields stooped to such associates? Never! I spit upon them; I dispise them; I—"

"Time is up said the Surgeon approaching with a glitter in his grave eye. My friend, you are exciting yourself too much. Ladies, I regret to disturb you."

And the girls made their adieu, leaving behind them most pleasant mementoes, in the shape of fruits and delicacies.

"Ike!" cried I, choking with laughter, "get your discharge, and go upon the stage. You'd make a fortune."

"Softly, my boy softly," returned that incorrigible. "The comedy is not over yet."

And neither it was. For a whole week he was beseiged by visitors, principally ladies; and he played his *role* to perfection. Luxuries of all kinds poured in upon him, and were distributed among the boys with a liberal hand—for Ike was no glutton. Potographs and letters, directed to "St. George Algernon Fairfield," became such a drug on the Ward-master's hands, that worthy began to vote it a bore. If Ike had advertised for a wife, it could scarcely have been worse.

But one day the shell exploded in the magazine. Some enemy of Ike's made himself busy. A report was circulated, and the Provost Marshal came down upon Isaac Russell, Esq., like a wolf on a fold. There was a laugh at first, (it was all so ridiculous) but the offical "couldn't see it." The circumstantial evidence was strong against poor Ike, and, after the first uproar he was too proud and too indignant to say anything in his own defence. So they marched him off to the Fort.

I saw him the day after his release.

"Hare," said he, with the old sparkle:

"You may break, you may shatter the vase, if you will,
But the scent of the roses will cling round it still!"

"I don't regret it. It is a famous joke."

"Rather an expensive one, I should say, my good St. George Algernon."

"You are right, *mon brave*, you are right; but then—the jellies were excellent."

☞ A sad case of starvation occurred a short time ago in London. A woman aged 67 years died from want of food.—Her daughtr, who was "an elderly and poverty-stricken looking woman," said that the deceased, her mother, like herself, supported life as she was able by needlework. She used to earn about 12 cents a week: the witness herself could earn 63 cents per week, for which she worked on shirts at three cents apiece. These women paid thirty-three cents a week for rent; the parish allowed them thirty cents and two loaves of bread per week. The deceased had animal food very seldom, and when the daughter could get half a pound of meat for four cents, she gave it to her. She used to have "just enough food to keep soul and body together." Witness had brothers who were too poor to do anything for the old woman, but a married daughter gave her eighteen cents a week. The corner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased had perished from starvation, and that the supply afforded by the parish authorities was wholly inadequate to the wants of this family,

☞ "Ma, don't I look sweet?"

"Yes, my dear, but why do you ask?"

"'Cause Mrs. Gordon said my ear looked as if it was full of honey."

That little girl got washed.

MANNERS, MALE AND FEMALE.

Who can tell why women are expected, on pain of censure and avoidance, to conform to a high standard of behavior, while men are indulged in another a great deal lower? We never could fully understand why men should be tolerated in chewing tobacco, in smoking, and in spitting everywhere almost, and at all times; whereas, a woman cannot do any of those things without exciting aversion and disgust.—Why ought a man be allowed to drink liquor till his breath is offensive, and his manners vulgar, while a woman must do nothing which shall be indecorous in the eye of the most fastidious judgment. Why should a man be allowed so self-indulgent, putting his limbs and person in all manner of attitudes, however uncouth and distasteful, merely because such vulgarities render him temporary ease, while a woman is always required to preserve an attitude, if not of positive grace, at least of decency and propriety, from which if she departs, though but for an instant, she forfeits respect and is instantly branded as a low creature? Can anybody say why a man, when he has the toothache, or is called to suffer in any other way, shall be permitted as a matter of course to groan and bellow and vent his feelings very much in the style of an animal not endowed with reason, while a woman similarly suffering, must bear it in silence and decorum? Why should men, as a class, habitually, and as a matter of right, boldly wear the coarsest qualities of human nature on the outside, and swear, and crowd, and fight, and brutify themselves, so that they are obliged to be put in separate pens in the cars on the railroads, and at the depots, while women must appear with an agreeable countenance, if not in smiles, even when the head, or perhaps the heart, aches, and are expected to permit nothing ill-tempered, disagreeable, or even unhappy, to appear outwardly, but to keep all these concealed in their own bosoms, to suffer as they may, lest they might otherwise lessen the cheerfulness of others?—These are a few suggestions only among many we would hint to the stronger and more exacting sex, to be reflected on for the improvement of their taste and manners. In the mirror thus held up before them, they cannot avoid observing the very different standard by which the behavior of the two sexes is constantly regulated. If any reason can be assigned why one should always be a lady, and the other hardly ever a gentleman, we hope it will be done.—*Home Journal.*

NAMING CHILDREN.—This is one of the few things in which everybody is interested. Who is there that has never pondered the problem—what shall be the child's name! As a contribution to this class of knowledge, let us copy, from the *Continental*, part of an article on the names that were fashionable with our forefathers:

On Long Island a Mr. Crabb named a child "Through-much-tribulation-we-enter into-the-kingdom-of-heaven Crabb." The child went by the name of Tribby.

Scores of such names could be cited.—The practice of giving long and curious names is not yet out of date. In Saybrook, Connecticut, is a family by the name of Beman, whose children are successively named as follows:

1. Jonathan Hubbard Lubbard Lambard Hunk Dan Dunk Peter Jacobus Lackany Christian Beman.
2. Prince Frederick Henry Jacob Zacheus Christian Beman.
3. Queen Caroline Sarah Rogers Ruhamah Christian Beman.
4. Charity Freelove Ruth Grace Mercy Truth Faith and Hope and Peace pursue I'll have no more to do for that will go clear through Christian Beman.

MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.—In California, marriage is regarded as a civil act, and no ceremony or license is required if the parties are of age. Weddings are customary, and divorce is within the reach of all. Unkind treatment, sufficient to warrant a divorce was lately defined by a court as follows:

"His conduct must be such as to show that the inward knot of marriage, which is peace and love, is untied, and that he exercises over his wife, not the mild and salutary authority of a husband, but a harsh and cruel tyranny."

For a Mohammedan divorce, nothing is necessary but that the woman should place her *slipper upside down* at the door of the Cadi.

JEFFERSON'S FIDDLE.—The writer of the Declaration of Independence was passionately fond of fiddling, and is said to have excelled in playing on that instrument. In 1770 his family mansion was burned. Mr. Jefferson used to tell, in after years, with great glee, an anecdote connected with the fire. He was absent from home when it occurred, and a slave arrived out of breath to inform him of the disaster. After learning of the general destruction he inquired: "But were none of my books saved?" "No, massa," was the reply, "but we saved de fiddle."

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1863.

Mob Law.

The destruction of several printing offices, by mobs, has caused much to be said and written, lately, in reference to mob law. Knowing the dangerous character of mobs, we are opposed to men taking the law into their own hands, no matter how aggravating the case may be. When once started, they will not always stop where those who incited them intended they should; and by their extension the innocent are as likely to suffer as the guilty. It is more easy to start a riot than to stop it. Good intentions interposed in the way of rioters are likely to be mistaken for opposition, and the person interposing them subjected to the indignation of the crowd. We prefer the peaceful and lawful manner of abating nuisances and disposing of dangerous personages. The exigencies of a case may, in some instances, appear to demand something more hasty and severe than the slow process and proverbial leniency of the law, but it is best always to keep on the side of law. Could laws be so framed as to govern the passions of men, then would there be no need of courts, lawyers, juries, etc., and nothing that would excite to passion would pass between man and man; but the fact that to every law passed is attached a penalty to be meted out to those who violate it, shows that laws do not restrain men, and that those who arouse the passions of others are not safe, simply because there is a law forbidding assault and battery or destruction of property, but that they may expect chastisement not provided for by law. Human nature generally governs in case of insult or injury, and all the laws are, for the time being, disregarded by the insulted party. To cultivate a respect for the laws of the land should be the aim of all, but no one should attempt to hide behind them and throw stones at his neighbor. If he does so, the result most likely will be, that human nature will break the law if not the head of the one who throws the stones.

In cases of insult or injury the law of nature, which is resentment or revenge, scarcely ever stops to inquire whether it agrees with the laws of the land, or what may be the consequences of following out its teachings. The sympathy existing between man and man, and the natural tendency to take sides with one or the other of contending parties, helps to swell the tumult, and the greater the number in the contest, the less regard is there for the laws. We might extend our remarks on this subject, but we have written enough to show our point, viz: "that there is no effect without a cause." The effect may be contrary to law, detrimental to the peace and welfare of society, and much more severe than the cause damanded, but the fact that there was a cause, real or imaginary, makes those who gave the cause equally responsible with those who engaged in carrying out its effects.

While, therefore, we disprove and condemn mob law, we think that all should strive to avoid giving cause for mobs, since it is impossible to control human nature in resenting insults and injuries; and especially should this be the case at this time, when our country is engaged in a war for life or death, and men are in a fever heat of excitement. Let opinions be given in courteous language, supported by arguments, and men be won by persuasion. The use of sarcasms and calling of vulgar names repulses rather than attracts, and leads to riot and bloodshed. Let there be no cause for mobs and we will have none of the effects.

War News.

We are still without news of the fall of Vicksburg. Finding that he could not take the town by assault, Gen. Grant has commenced a regular siege. At last accounts he had one hundred and fifty large guns in position and had commenced shelling the enemies fortifications and the town. No fighting of any account has occured within the past week. Both armies are within their entrenchments, almost secure until a breach is effected in one or the other. Gen. Johnston has not yet crossed the Big Black river to attack Gen. Grant's rear. From all accounts it appears that he is still at Jackson. Gen. Grant is still confident of capturing Vicksburg and does not fear for his rear.

On Friday last Gen. Howe's division of Gen. Hooker's army crossed the Rappahannock, below Fredericksburg, and had a skirmish with Longstreet's division. Gen. Howe succeeded in carrying the first line of rifle pits and taking a number of prisoners. The adventure was a reconnoisance to find out the position of Lee's army. Whether anything further will be attempted we cannot tell. The object of the reconnoisance was attained and the position of the rebels discovered.

Nothing new or important from any other department.

☞ The editor of the Bellefonte *Watchman* wants to be a martyr, but cannot find any person in his neighborhood who will condescend to hit him or molest his types. For several months past his paper has teemed with the most scurrilous articles on the administration, and contemptible allusions to the actions of the Union army, yet such is his insignificance where he is known that no attention is paid to his ravings. Failing to obtain notoriety by endeavoring to excite Union men around him to tear out his office, he opens his pop-gun upon those who "gutted" the Huntingdon *Monitor* office, hoping to get some of them to go over and do the same to him. The concern must sink, if his course be continued, but he would like to go down but, so that he might call upon his sympathizers, as the *Monitor* did, for material aid, and make a good thing out of it. Won't somebody take pity on the editor of the *Watchman*?

☞ If the Pittsburgh *Post* desires to give correct information from this section, it has been unfortunate in the selection of a correspondent from this place, if we may judge from the communication signed "Q. K. P.", dated June 1st. Properly, Huntingdon affairs do not belong to us, and we would pass by the communication did it emenate from any other quarter, but such perversions of facts, from a person in our town, should not go uncorrected. Evidently, "Q. K. P." knows little whereof he writes, or else he is not disposed to tell the truth. He pretends to give an account of the late "mob" and "indignation meeting" in Huntingdon, and attempts to make political capital out of it by styling the destruction of the *Monitor* office one of "the persecutions of the party in power." The ignorance or falsity of "Q. K. P." is here apparent to all who know anything about the case. We have been credibly informed, by those now under arrest for the offence, that there was but one man in the party of soldiers who destroyed the office who was not a democrat; but, as they remarked, they were not democrats of the *Monitor* stripe. They had braved disease and death in camp and field to preserve the Union from the hands of Southern traitors, and, while in the army, had borne as patiently as possible, what they considered insults to themselves in the columns of the *Monitor* and its endeavors to divide the people of the North, and when they returned they destroyed the office by way of retaliation. We do not approve of their manner of settling accounts, but in their own language, it was the quickest way to obtain satisfaction. The assertion that the soldiers were incited thereto by citizens of Huntingdon is equally false. They are men who read, think and act for themselves. The most bitter opponents of the *Monitor* did all they could to prevent the destruction of the office, but they were coolly told that the the thing was settled, and that they must keep out of the way or get into difficulty. The eulogy on the character of the ostensible editor of the *Monitor* may pass, with those who know nothing to the contrary. The assertion that "on the day of the meeting the aiders, abettors and applauders of this outrage slunk out of sight and hung their heads in shame," reads very nicely, but pity, 'tis not true. There were no "aiders, abettors or applauders" but these who were engaged in the destruction of the office, and they, instead of hanging their heads in shame, walked the streets boldly, and contributed much to the good order and decorum maintained during the day. Those who called the meeting had been notified that no insult would be given to any one attending the meeting, and no disturbance be created by the soldiers, but in case there should be any indignities offered to Union men, or any attempt to destroy Union property, they (the signers of the call) would be held responsible and vengeance be first meted out to them. Thus order was maintained.

While we condemn "mob law" and are far from desiring to justify the actions of the soldiers, we have a regard for fair statements, which would not allow us to pass by "Q. K. P.'s" communication without correction? We believe we know considerably more about the people of Huntingdon than the *Post's* correspondent, and our information came from men of all parties. We give the statements as they were given us by the soldiers, and coroborated by others, without venturing our own opinion.

☞ A number of papers are publishing a lengthy article, picturing in the most touching language, the effect of the arrest of Vallandigham upon his wife, who is represented to be a woman of great refinement and an ornament to her sex. It is stated that the arrest of her husband has dethroned her reason and she is now a raving maniac. That she is a model woman and that she should feel deeply, ever to the loss of reason, the degredation of her husband, we do not doubt, but the charging of the responsibility of this calamity upon the President and Gen. Burnside, when it is alone chargeable to the course and guilt of Vallandignam himself, is unjust. Are the officers of the law responsible for the dethronement of the reason of the wife when they arrest the husband for the murder of your father, husband, or brother? Certainly not. It is the husband who is responsible. Had he not been first guilty of murder he would not have been arrested, but having committed the deed, the necessity for his arrest followed, let the consequences to his wife and family be what they may. Should we ever be guilty of a flagrant viclation of the law, we will not expect the law to be suspended lest our arrest should bring a calamity upon any member of our family. The course of Vallandigham was, in the opinion of the officers of the law, dangerous to the peace and welfare of the community, and it was their duty to arrest him and place him where he could do no injury, or compel him to suffer for violations of law and order, without considering what effect it might have upon his wife or family. Having a wife of such refinement, and the dethronement of her reason being the result of his arrest, only throws more responsibility upon Vallandighan and makes him the greater villain. But we need not pursue this subject further, as every reasonable man must at once observe that upon Vallandighan, and not the authorities, rests the responsibility of the calamity to his wife. We are surprised that sensible men will resort to such weak arguments to make political capital, as that, and not sympathy for Vallandighan or his wife, is the object.

THE UNION CO. COMMITTEE.—The Union County Committee met in Hollidaysburg on Saturday week, and resolved to call a convention to nominate candidates for the County offices on Tuesday the 11th day of August next, the delegate elections to be held on the preceding Saturday, August 8th. By a unanimous vote the committee then proceeded to elect a Representative Delegate. A ballot being had, S. S. Blair was chosen said delegate. John K. Neff, Jacob Burley and John Dean were chosen Senatorial conferees to meet conferees from Cambria and Clearfield counties and elect a delegate.

With this action of the committe a portion of the party is dissatisfied, and the consequence is the issuing of the following call for a mass meeting:—

To the Loyal Citizens of Blair County.

To the Loyal citizens of Blair County without distinction of Party, who desire cordially to unite in sustaining the "*National and State Administration*" in their patriotic efforts to suppress a sectional and unholy rebellion against the "*unity of the Republic*," and who desire to support by every power of the Government, our heroic brethern in arms, who are braving disease and the perils of the field to preserve the "*Union of our Fathers*," are requested to meet in *Mass Convention* at Hollidaysburg, on Friday, the 19th day of June, A. D. 1863, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of expressing their preference for a candidate for *Governor and Judge of the Supreme Court* to be nominated at the *Union State Convention*, to meet in Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, the 1st day of July next.

MANY CITIZENS.

Letter from South Carolina

CAMP OF KEYSTONE ZOUAVES,
BOTANY BAY ISLAND, S. C.,
May 16th, 1863.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Whilst the rain is fast descending, making music upon the canvass roofing of our houses, I will try to indite a few lines for the benefit of the readers of the *Tribune*.

Rainy days in camp are none of the pleasantest, but as they generally prevent us from drilling (which does not affront us much) we try to be as cheerful as circumstances will permit.

You will perceive, by the heading of my letter that we are on "*terra firma*" once more. We landed on this Island on the 28th ult. Botany Bay Island is a small Island, being about six miles in length, and three in breadth, connected with Edisto Island, by a causeway. The Island, for the most part, is covered with timber, consisting of Palmetto, Pine Live-Oak and Cedar.—There are no buildings of any kind, or any indications of the Island having been cultivated.—The principal inhabitants are mosquitoes, gnats, spiders, wood-ticks, and a host of other small insects, of a like troublesome character. The Island has scarcely anything to recommend it to the passer by. The place chosen for the location of our camp is on the shore of Edisto Inlet. The location is good enough but the camp ground was wretched to behold. I do not think there could be a worse place found on the Island. When we first landed, the ground was very uneven, being, as the saying is, "up one hill and down another," nothing but sand banks and sink-holes; but, through much labor, the men have considerably altered the appearance of the camp, by leveling the surface, &c., and, with lumber, obtained from plantations on neighboring islands, we have fitted up our quarters pretty well. We have our tents furnished, at the expense of the rebs, with furniture of all descriptions, such as tables, chairs, bureaus, sofas, &c., the whole presenting quite a picturesque appearance. Taking everything into consideration we are pretty well fixed up again. The Seventy-Sixth Pa. and Third N. H. Regiments, are the only troops on this Island. There does not very much friendship exist between the two regiments, consequently there is scarcely any communication between them. How long we will remain here, I am unable to say, most likely until we move again. The weather is very warm, but, being near the water, we are fanned by pleasant breezes, which makes it quite pleasant.

Col. D. C. Strawbridge has gone home on furlough and Lieut. Col. Campbell, is in command of the regiment. Col. Campbell returned from the North, where he had been for the last six months, engaged in the recruiting service, while we were on board the "T. A. Scott."

Government has at last decided on giving furloughs to the men belonging to the "Department of the South." Rather a late day to commence, but better late than never. From this time forth 20 per cent of the men are allowed to be absent on furlough 30 days. This will afford an opportunity to all of us to pay a flying visit to our friends. We all look forward with pleasure to the time when we expect to behold the faces of those we love. I will close for this time, but will write again at an early day.

Yours as ever, J. L. KINSEL,
Co. F, Keystone Zouaves.

Letter from Washington

WASHINGTON, D. C.,
June 8, 1863.

EDS. TRIBUNE:—Washington is safe, *but all is not quiet on the Rappahannock*. For several days past we have had a multiplicity of rumors and vague reports of movements of the rebel army at Fredericksburg, and Hooker's crossing over &c., all of which has been eagerly gobbled up by *enterprising* newspaper correspondents and headed up in big capitals and sold as "extras". The Phil'a *Sunday Mercury* came out with an extra which the newsboys had for sale here yesterday, crying "Extra Mercury," "Evacuation of Fredericksburg; *but it didn't take*. The only *reliable* information we have from that quarter up to this time, is that Lee has been shifting the camps of some of his troops—for sanitary reasons perhaps—and that Hooker sent over a reconnoitering party to ascertain what this apparent movement meant.—This is the situation so far as we know with certainty at present, but we know not what a day may bring forth. The authorities here are pr-paring for any emergency that may occur, and are organizing and arming the employees and clerks of the Quartermaster's Department for defensive operations if necessary. To be forewarned, to be forearmed, and very opportunely for our own State the Hon. John Covode is here now making arrangements with the war department for a complete defence of our borders the rebels may have in view. Mr. Covode has the promise of the necessary aid from the war department, and the arrangements for the defences of the State will soon be published if deemed prudent. The people of Pennsylvania have had some experience in rebel raids, and they will appreciate this practical and timely effort to prevent a similar occurrence.

Mr. Covode is the true friend of the soldier.—He is in favor of the soldier in camp enjoying the rights of suffrage as well as the citizen at home, and this is as it should be and as it will be when *justice reigns supreme*. He is also making an effort to have the soldiers lately mustered out of service, exempted from draft under the first call that may be made. This is all right and proper if it can be done. A little sprinkling of returned veterans at home will have a wonderful good effect upon the community. They are the *salt* of the nation, and their presence will act as a gentle "*Monitor*" to check treasonable inclinations.

Yours,
O. B. SERVER.

The Bombardment of Vicksburg.

A correspondent writes on May 22d, from the rear of Vicksburg: This is the fourth day the army of Gen. Grant has lain around the intrenchments of Vicksburg. Within that time there have been daily battles and continual cannonade. At least two thousand of our soldiers have been placed *hors du combat*, killed and wounded, in the several charges ordered against the earthworks. It was rumored yesterday that this morning Gen. Grant would order a charge simultaneously along the entire line of works. Late in the evening the commanders of the different corps, divisions and brigades received their orders and prepared to execute them. The order contemplated a fierce cannonade from daylight until ten o'clock, but for some unexplained reason it was not opened until after eight. During the night, however, the gunboats and mortars lying in front of Vicksburg kept up a continual fire, and dropped their fiery messengers right and left without distinction.—During this bombardment several buildings were set on fire by the exploding shells. It is impossible to estimate the damage occasioned by thus dropping into Vicksburg these heavy eleven and thirteen inch shells.

WHERE THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARE.

Before we approached the city the General Commanding ordered all the women and children for miles around Vicksburg to come within the intrenchments, assuring them that in that way they would escape all danger. The consequence is that there are a large number of non-combatants in Vicksburg, exposed to all the dangers of siege and bombardment.

SHELL ROLLED DOWN THE HILL—OUR LOSS.

They adopted another plan. Taking a shell, they cut the fuse close off, lighted it and rolled it over the outer slope of the embankment. Subsequently, with picks and shovels, a way was dug into one fort, and through the breach the boys walked bravely in. The first fort on the left of the railroad was stormed by Gen. Carr's Division, and gallantly taken. Col. Stone, of the Twenty-second Iowa, led the charge and was wounded.

On the centre the fire was persistent and terrible. Many brave officers were killed and many wounded Col. Collins, of the Eighty-first Illinois, fell dead while leading his men to the charge. Later in the afternoon Gen. Ransom's brigade charged the works opposite his position with heavy loss. Lieutenant Colonel Wright of the seventy-second Illinois, was wounded, and Col. Nevins, of the Eleventh Illinois, and Col. Humphrey, of the Ninety-fifth, were killed. Steele and Tuttle, on the right, were heavily engaged, and the former is reported to have lost nearly a thousand men.

THE ARMY OPENS FIRE.

At eight o'clock this morning, according to programme, the cannonading began, and continued with scarcely a moment's intermission, along the entire line until ten o'clock. From every hill top in front of the enemy's works cannon were placed, and the fiery tempest raged fearfully.—Guns were dismounted, embrasures torn out, parapets destroyed, and caissons exploded. It was a fearful demonstration. The enemy were powerless to reply; for our line of skirmishers were pushed up close to the enemy's works, and unerringly picked off the gunners whenever they attempted to work the guns.

STARS AND STRIPES PLANTED BEFORE THE WORKS.

For two long hours did this cannonade continue, when on the left, in Smith's, Carr's and Osterhaus' divisions, a charge was made. Winding through the valleys, clambering over the hills everywhere subjected to a a murderous, enfilading and cross fire, they pressed close to the rebel works to find that a deep ditch, protected by sharp stakes along the outer edge, lay between them and the intrenchments. They planted their flag directly before the fort, and crouched down behind the embankment, out of range of the rebel fire, as camly as possible, to await developments. The soldiers within the fort could not rise above the parapet to fire at them, for if they did a hundred bullets came whizzing through the air and the adventurers died.

Important From Mexico.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The steamer Shelldrake, form Havana on the 26th ult., arrived this afternoon. There is nothing new from Havana. It is reported at Havana that the yellow fever has broken out among the French in Mexico. An extra of the Havana *Diario*, of the 26th, received per the steamer Shelldrake, reports the arrival at Havana of the French steamer Darine, from Vera Cruz, with important despatches from General Forey, announcing the occupation of Peubla by the forces under his command The prisoners include General Ortega and twenty-three other generals, 900 minor officers and 17,000 men.

It appears that, on the 19th General Forey opened with a heavy artillery on Fort Johemempuacan, and on the 17th a breach was effected. The French troops then moved on an assault, and after a desperate resistance, entered into the Plaza, when Ortega surrendered unconditionally.

On the 20th one devision of the French army started for the city of Mexico.

Four Rebel sloops, with cotton, have arrived at Havana.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The following are additional particulars of the news from Mexico:

On the 8th instant, Gen. Comonfort, who had received reinforcements, tried to attact the French forces in the rear. Gen. Bazuinte's Division opposed him and defeated him completely. The battle took place near San Lorenzo, Comonfort losing twenty-five hundred men killed, wounded and prisoners, seven or eight rifled cannon and the greater part of his equipments and munitions of war.

It appears that Comonfort's attack had for its principal object to favor the entrance into Puebla of a large convoy of provisions and ammunition. Gen. Forey had received in time a part of the heavy artillery he expected, and posted it opposite to the forts, of Tolinchuacan, one of the most dreaded fortifications in Puebla.

On the same day the artillery began to fire, and by the 17th a breach had been made. Forey then commanded an assault to be made, but the resistance immediately ceased. A part of the French army entered the town, and Gen. Ortega surrendered, without conditions, with all his forces, including artillery and equipments.

There was to be left in Puebla only the necessary garrison to protect its being molested by the guerrillas, and the rest of the forces would immediately take up the march for the Capitol. The number of prisoners is as already stated.

CIRCULAR TO THOSE WIDE-AWAKE TO THEIR OWN INTERESTS.—The subscriber would respectfully announce to the public that he has returned from the East with his large and well assorted stock of goods, bought at the lowest cash prices, which he will dispose of at his nsual small advance.

OUR MOTTO.

"The nimble dime better than the slow dollar."

Come one, come all and be convinced that the cash system is to your advantage, and you will go away with the resolve that my establishment is the place to save money. No charge for showing goods. Call and examine.

I would respectfully invite your attention to my well selected assortment of Ladies and Misses' Dry Goods, containing all the late and most desirable styles of dresses to be found in the Eastern markets, among which may be had, Mozambiques, Celliques, Killarney Checks, Union Checks, Sheperds Plads, Linen Lustres, Silk Poplins, a full and complete stock of fancy and plain Flannels and Shirtings, Linen, Muslin, Ladies and Gents Gloves and Hosiery, and a tremendous stock of Austin Kelly & Co's Patent Hoop Skirts, from four to fifty springs, which I can sell at least 25 per cent. below Philadelphia retail prices. Also a great variety of Cloaking Cloths, varying in price from 75 cts to $2,25 per yard, and the largest assortment of Cassimers Sattinetts Tweeds, Jeans, ect., that is to be found in the country.

Carpeting and oil cloths in great variety at lowest prices.

LOOK.—My stock of groceries are selling a few cents below my would-be-rivals, who "can't see it." The cash system syrups still range from 40 to 70 cts. per gallon. Government coffee, bought before the late late heavy advances, I am selling at 22 cts per pound. It is superior to all the new fangled substitutes now selling.

BEHOLD.—Our teas range from the low price of 60 cts. per pound, upwards.

EXCELSIOR.—Our would-be-competitors stand aghast when they know we have the heaviest and best assorted stock of crockery, china, glass and delph ware to be found in any establishment between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, and that we sell cheaper than they can buy. "They are superb," is the common exclamation of examining our China Tea Sets, ranging in price from $12 to $20, which is lower than they can be purchased in Pittsburgh. We are selling to people from all the surrounding counties, because we keep a large stock from which to select, and sell cheap. One examination will suffice to convince any one that we are not puffing our goods.

All kinds of ornamental flower vases, mugs, glassware, and in fact all kinds of crockery ever imagined, we keep on hand. We are still selling the celebrated Wedgewood Iron Stone Sets for $5.00, which is 25 cts. cheaper than they can be bought for in Philadelphia or Pittsburg retail market.

"I can't see how it is done?" is the query. Well, we will tell you the secret—it is *cash only*. By this means I am enabled to increase my business and stock steadily, while other establishments are glad to decrease theirs. We are not compelled to add large profits to make up for losses by bad debts, and we save by paying cash for goods instead of buying on time and paying a higher figure.

FATHERS & MOTHERS.—Our stock of children's carriages and coaches are just the thing for those who value the health of their children more than the small amount we charge for them. Those who use a carriage once will never go back to the old-fashioned way of dragging children around in their arms. Call and see our stock of infant carriages and cabs.

Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine, of which I am the sole Agent for Blair and Huntingdon counties, are the best machines ever used. They are perfect and warranted for two years. I do not ask you to buy unless you are satisfied you are saving money by so doing.

R. A. O. KERR.

Altoona May, 9th, 1863.

RAIL ROAD AND MAIL SCHEDULE.

TRAINS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

Baltimore Express West	arrives	6.55 A. M.	leaves	7.15 A. M.
Philadel'a "	"	7.40 "	"	8.00 "
Fast Line "	"	8.20 P. M.	"	8.35 P. M.
Mail Train "	"	7.00 "	"	7.15 "
Express Train East	"	8.40 P. M.,	leaves	9.00 P. M
Fast Line "	"	1.10 A. M.,	"	1.15 A. M
Mail Train "	"	7.40 "	"	8.00 "
Through Accom. "	"	10 15 "	"	10.25 "

Trains on Hollidaysburg Branch run to connect with Express Trains West. Mail Train East and West and Tyro' Accommodation Train East.

Trains on Tyrone & Clearfield Branch and Bald Eagle Valley R. R. run to connect with Express Train West and Mail Train East and West.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through	7.40 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.00 P. M.
Western Way	10.15 A. M.
Western Through	7.40 A. M.
Hollidaysburg, 7 30 A. M. &	7,00 P. M.

MAILS CLOSE.

Western Way	7.20 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.20 "
Western Through	7.15 P. M.
Eastern Through	7.15 "
Hollidaysburg, 7 30 A. M. &	6.45 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS:—During the week from 6.45 A. M. until 7,30 P. M. On Sundays from 7,30 until 8 30 A. M.

G. W. PATTON, P. M.

Altoona, April 20, 1863.

A Benefit to All.

TRY ONE BOTTLE.

A trial will prove the fact, and facts are stubborn things.

MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS

ARE SUCCESSFUL IN EVERY CASE.

No family should be without it. Hundreds of certificates and letters of thanks are arriving every day from persons who have been cured.

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Female Irregularities, and all Diseases arising from

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As a Blood Purifier, Tonic and General Appertiser, these Bitters are without a rival. No Lady desiring

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B. MISHLER,
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LANCASTER, PA.

NOTICE.—The great success of Mishler's Herb Bitters has induced unprincipled parties to manufacture a worthless article, which they are selling at a low price, *of which beware.* The genuine can only be bought in Blair County, of

G. W. WHITFIELD,
(Sole Agent for Blair County,)
Depot Drug Store, Main street, Altoona, Pa.

June 24, 1862-tf.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following resolution was adopted at a late meeting of the Board of Managers of the Altoona Hall and Market Company:—

Resolved, That the second instalment of 10 per cent. on the stock subscribed for, be made payable on the 20th day of the present month, May, and that the balance of the subscription be made payable in monthly instalments of 10 per cent each, on the 15th day of each succeeding month, until the whole amount is paid in.

Persons wishing to take stock in the company can still be accommodated, there being a few shares yet unsold.

Altoona, May 19th -tf. B. F. ROSE, *Treasurer.*

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name of Conrad & Reed, has been dissolved. The books and accounts of the firm are in the hands of Joseph S. Reed, who will make settlement of all accounts due the late firm or owing by it.

GEORGE W. CONRAD,
May 26, 1863.-3t. JOSEPH S. REED.

P. S.—The business at the Steam Planing Mill will be continued by Joseph S. Reed, who has purchased the interest of George W. Conrad therein.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the name of Steiner & Percival, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and accounts of the firm are in the hands of W. H. Percival, at the old stand, where all persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle immediately.

SAMUEL STEIMER,
May 25. 1863-3t. W. H. PERCIVAL.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of James Flowers, late of Altoona, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing as aforesaid.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them without delay, duly authenticated for settlement.

MARY FLOWERS,
May 12, 1863-6t* *Administratrix.*

SPECIAL NOTICE.—On and after JULY 1st, 1863, the privilege of converting the present issue of LEGAL TENDER NOTES INTO THE NATIONAL SIX PER CENT. LOAN (commonly called "Five Twenties" will cease.)

All who wish to invest in the Five-Twenty Loan, must, therefore, apply before the 1st of JULY next.

JAY COOKE,
April 14th, 63.] Subscription Agent,
[3m] No. 114 S. THIRD St., Philadelphia.

FRITCHEY & MILLER, NEW store, corner of Caroline and Virginia Sts.

FRESH BUTTER & EGGS EVERY Thursday, for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

COAL OIL!—A NO. 1 COAL OIL just received and for sale, at 48 cents per gallon, by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

BROOMS, BRUSHES, TUBS AND Baskets of all descriptions, qualities and prices for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

WORRELL'S PREPARED COFFEE just received and for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

JERSEY PLAIN HAMS & SHOULDERS, just received and for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

BOSTON CRACKERS—A LARGE supply of these delicious crackers just received and for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

EXTRA FAMILY FLOUR, FROM the Cove, always on hand and for sale as low as the lowest by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

COFFEES, SUGARS, AND SYRUPS of all grades, and at reasonable prices, for sale by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

MACKEREL—NOS. 1, 2, AND 3, in all sized packages new, and each package warranted, just received and for sale low by FRITCHEY & MILLER.

SUPERIOR STOCK OF LIQUORS. FRITCHEY & MILLER are now able to offer to their customers and the public at large, a stock of the purest liquors ever brought into this market, comprising in part the following varieties

WHISKY—IRISH, SCOTCH, OLD BOURBON.
WINE—PORT, SHERRY, OLD MADEIRA.
OTARD, DUPEY & CO. PALE BRANDY.

These liquors can all be warranted; and in addition to these, FRITCHEY & MILLER have on hand a large variety of Wines, Whisky and Brandy, to which they invite the particular attention of the public.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

PLAIN & FANCY VESTS, of every size and style at LAUGHMAN'S.

Dr. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT,

THE

GREAT REMEDY

FOR RHEUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA LUMBAGO, STIFF NECK AND JOINTS, SPRAINS, BRUISES, CUTS AND WOUNDS, PILES, HEADACHE, AND ALL RHEUMATIC AND NERVOUS DISORDERS.

For all of which it is a speedy and certain remedy, and never fails. This Liniment is prepared from the recipe of Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Connecticut, the famous bone setter, and has been used in his practice for more than twenty years with the most astonishing success.

AS AN ALLEVIATOR OF PAIN, it is unrivalled by any preparation before the public, of which the most skeptical may be convinced by a single trial.

This Liniment will cure rapidly and radically, RHEUMATIC DISORDERS of every kind, and in thousands of cases where it has been used it has never been known to fail.

FOR NEURALGIA, it will afford immediate relief in every case, however distressing.

It will relieve the worst cases of HEADACHE in three minutes and is warranted to do it.

TOOTHACHE also will it cure instantly.

FOR NERVOUS DEBILITY AND GENERAL LASSITUDE arising from imprudence or excess, this Liniment is a most happy and unfailing remedy. Acting directly upon the nervous tissues, it strengthens and revitalizes the system, and restores it to elasticity and vigor.

FOR PILES.—As an external remedy, we claim that it is the *best* known, and we challenge the world to produce an equal. Every victim of this distressing complaint should give it a trial, for it will not fail to afford immediate relief and in majority of cases will effect a *radical* cure.

QUINSY AND SORE THROAT are sometimes extremely malignant and dangerous, but a timely application of this Liniment will never fail to cure.

SPRAINS are sometimes very obstinate, and enlargement of the joints is liable to occur if neglected. The worst case may be conquered by this Liniment in two or three days.

BRUISES, CUTS, WOUNDS, SORES, ULCERS, BURNS AND SCALDS, yield readily to the wonderful healing properties of DR. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT when used according to directions. Also, CHILBLAINS FROSTED FEET, AND INSECT BITES AND STINGS

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Taken internally cures Colic, Cholera Morbus and Cholera.

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TO HORSE OWNERS!

DR. SWEET'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT FOR HORSES is unrivalled by any, and in all cases of Lameness, arising from Sprains, Bruises or wrenching, its effect is magical and certain. Harness or saddle Galls, Scratches, Mange, &c., it will also cure speedily. Spavin and Ringbone may be easily prevented and cured in their incipient stages, but confirmed cases are beyond the possibility of a radical cure. No case of the kind, however, is so desperate or hopeless but it may be alleviated by this Liniment, and its faithful application will always remove the lameness, and enable the horses to travel with comparative ease.

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CAUTION.

To avoid imposition, observe the signature and Likeness of Dr. Stephen Sweet on every label, and also "Stephen Sweet's Infallible Liniment" blown in the glass of each bottle, without which none are genuine.

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December 4, 1862.-1y.

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WM. M. LLOYD & CO., are subscription agents to dispose of Twenty Years U. S. Loan. Amounts can be made by the means of different individuals, the interest of which is to be accounted for half yearly in Gold.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

AN IMPORTANT BILL.—The bill relating to payment of our working men in orders has been signed by the Governor, and is now a law. It provides that it shall not be lawful for any iron-master, foundryman, collier, factoryman, company, their agents or clerks, within this Commonwealth, to pay the wages, or any part of the wages of the workman or laborers by them employed, in either printed, written, or verbal orders upon any storekeeper or storekeepers, shopkeeper or shopkeepers, dealer or dealers in merchandise or other articles, whether connected in business with the said iron-master, foundryman, factoryman or not. Any iron-master, foundryman, collier or factoryman, paying to any workman or laborer, so by him employed, authorized and directing his, her, or their agent, clerk, or clerks, to pay any part of the wages of said workman or laborers in any order upon any such storekeeper, shopkeeper, or dealer in merchandise or other articles, shall pay the amount of said order or orders so paid; the same shall not be defalked from the wages of said workman or laborer, and he shall be entitled to recover the full amount of his wages, although no such order or orders had been paid, and no settlement or settlements had been made with such employer shall bare with such recovery. Any iron-master, foundryman, collier or factoryman, offending against the provisions of the first section of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine and imprisonment, or both, at the discretion of the court trying the same, and provided, further, that this act shall not apply to all seamstresses or females employed in factories or otherwise.

THE BRIDGE.—The foot-bridge over the railroad tracks, at the crossing of Annie street, has been opened to the public and is well worth the visit. It is found to be a much greater accommodation than it was first considered it would be. Hundreds of persons every morning and evening the tracks were crowded up with freight trains which made it very inconvenient crossing, but now all can take the cars without fear as there is no detention. We are not aware what the exact cost of the structure, but it was sufficient to make it a lasting evidence of the liberality of the Railroad Company in providing for the convenience of the citizens of Altoona in their business or pleasure called them to use it.

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We have several times been amused at strangers examining the structure, as it was evident from the expression of their countenances that they could not account for the erection of so strong a bridge in that position. They would view the thing all over and then look up and down and all around evidently to see whether there was a railroad leading in that direction.

OAK HALL.—The proprietor of this famous News Depot, and Knick Knack emporium has left town. Just previous to his departure he dropped us a hasty note, requesting us to inform the public that he had gone to the city to purchase his fourth of July fixin's, such as flags, wreaths, fire-crackers of every description, from a torepedo to a six foot rocket, together with an endless variety "too tedious to enumerate.' Those who have crossed the railroad, or passed up Main St., have no doubt noticed the new sign attached to "Oak Hall". It is flashy. "Wait for the wagon" that brings Fet's stock.

☞ A Month or two since we informed our readers that Hileman had received a tremendous stock of spring and summer goods. Well, he has disposed of the major part of them, and on Friday last returned from the city with a fresh supply. After the fashion of the first lot, they are going off like hot cakes. The "Joes" are getting smarter in their old days, and all because of the demand for their goods, which makes them hop around.—Call at once, ladies, and make your selections.

☞ We have heard it remarked that notwithstanding the high price of almost every article in the dry goods line, there has been more of this kind of merchandise sold this spring than heretofore; and we judge the remark is true, from the fact that our merchants down below us, Messrs. J. & J. Lowther, have just received their third stock of goods for the season, embracing all the articles and styles now desired by the ladies. Everything just in fashion. Step in, ladies, and examine the new stock.

ATTEMPT TO FIRE A HOUSE.—On Friday last, a small boy set fire to the tenant house situated on the lower corner of Mr. Hammond's lot, on Union street, and when discovered, the flames had made considerable headway. Mr. Jacob Bollinger and James M. Bell, Esq., were the first to discover the fire, and were able to subdue it in a few minutes. The little incendiary was seen running away from the spot, and may yet be caught when Mr. Bollinger has time to look him up.—*Register.*

☞ The committee of arrangements for the soldiers pic-nic, held some weeks since, desire us to publish the following statement of the receipts and expenditures of said committee, so that those who contributed to the fund for the occasion may know what came of the money:

Total amount of money collected		$52 00
Paid band	$12 00	
Hauling lumber out and back	5 00	
S. I. Fries, nails	2 00	
Daniel Price, money advanced to committee of preparation	13 00	
Mrs. Rorick, soldier's widow	5 00	
" Markley " "	5 00	
" Smith " "	1 00	
" Isenberg " "	4 00	
Soldiers' Monument Fund	5 00	
	$52 00	$52 00

☞ Corn Starch, Bermuda Arrow Root, Farina and Oatmeal, just agoing, cheap, at Roush's.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn that a young man named Patrick Carey, a brakeman on the Tyrone and Clearfield Railroad, was so severely injured, at Tyrone, one day last week, that he died shortly afterwards. It appears that the train was backing in on a siding to drop some cars, and that Carey was running back over the train to apply the brakes. One of the brakemen had cut from the train the cars that were to be left on the siding, and they had separated from the others some 20 feet; but Carey did not observe this until it was too late for him to stop, consequently he had to jump from the last car and fell on the track, after which two cars passed over one of his legs, breaking and otherwise mangling it. In jumping from the cars he injured himself internally, from the effect of which he died.

☞ McClintock's Diarhœa Cordial, Jayne's Carminative Balsam, Davis' Pain Killer, Radway's Ready Relief, and Wolcott's Pain Annihilator, all for sale at Roush's.

☞ We have on file a very pretty Poetical communication, dedicated "To the noble dead of Cos. D and K, 125th Reg. P. V., who fell at the battles of Antietam and Chancelorville," which we will publish as soon as the author furnishes his or her name. The person who can compose such stanzas should have no hesitancy in giving the printer his or her real name. When no name accompanies such compositions, we doubt their originality, hence, whatever their merits, we lay them aside, lest we should be imposed upon.

☞ McLane's, Fahnestock's, Hohensack's and Jayne's Vermifuges, and Holloway's and Fahnestock's Worm Confections, for sale at Roush's.

NATURE VS. ART.—In "yellow kivered" literature and in comic almanacs may always be found more or less illustrations of *love-making* in the rural districts, but the scene witnessed on the corner of Virginia and Julia streets, on Saturday afternoon last, abundantly proves that Art cannot come up to Nature in exhibiting the ludicrous. We will not undertake to describe the picture. Suffice it to say, if Cupid were not a blind god he would have seen many folks laughing at the verdancy of his votaries on this occasion.

☞ Helmbold's Extract of Buchu, Tilden's celebrated fluid Extracts of Belladona, Buchu, Valecian Senna, &c., just received, and selling cheap, at Roush's Drug Store.

"There is not an invention of this inventive age which honors American genius more than the Sewing Machine. No family ought to be deprived of its benefits. The Wheeler & Wilson Machine is unrivaled in all the excellencies that constitute a good machine, while, in artistic finish, it vies with the piano in the boudoir."—*Independent.*

R. A. O. Kerr, of this place, is agent for the sale of these machines in Blair and Huntingdon counties. See advertisement.

☞ Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, Godfrey's Cordial, Eaton's Cordial, Bateman's Drops, all to be had at Roush's Drug Store.

UNION STORE.—This enterprise, which has been talked of for some time, has at last been carried into effect, and the store opened in Kipple's building, corner of Harriet and Annie streets, East Altoona. The intention of those interested in the enterprise is not, as has been asserted, to retaliate upon the regular merchants of this place by cutting down prices and underselling them. It is intended to sell goods at as small an advance as possible, just enough to cover the incidental expense of the store, and pay a low rate of interest to those who have invested their money in the enterprise. The object is to give the laboring man his necessaries at the very lowest figure. In order to meet the expenses of the concern a certain per centage must be added to the original cost. As these expenses, per month, will be about the same, whether much or little is sold, it will at once be perceived that the heavier the sales the less the per centage, and the result will be to the benefit of the purchaser while the receipts of the company will be none the greater. In fixing prices, those in charge of the store are not governed by the prices of other merchants in the place. All goods are marked at a certain per centage above cost, whether it brings them over or under other stores.

It is a well established fact that the *cash system* is the most beneficial to both seller and buyer, and that any person or company dealing strictly for cash can always buy or sell at lower rates than those who indulge in ruinous credits; and, even if this enterprise should not succeed, if it in any way assists in establishing the cash system, it will not be considered a failure.

This short explanation is deemed necessary in order to disabuse the public mind and give a correct statement of the object of the enterprise and to introduce to the public our stock of groceries, wooden ware, ect., just received, and now on sale at the store above named. We invite a call and examination of our stock and prices.

BY THE MANAGERS.

Altoona, June 9th, 1863.

MARRIED.

At the Exchange Hotel, in this place, March 7th, by Rev. A. H. Sembower, JERRY S. WILSON, of the 125th Regt., P. V., to Miss RACHEL H. HALL, of Spruce Creek.

DIED.

On the 3rd inst., in this place, of consumption, Miss JULIA A. HARTLEBAUGH, aged 19 years, 4 months and 13 days.

CARPETS.

A fresh supply of those VERY CHEAP CARPETS, have been received at the "MODEL."

June 9, 3t.

Temperance & Morality.

For the Temperance and Morality Column.

Blasphemy.

The very common vice of blasphemy, is not only sinful, but it is extremely foolish. Who ever believed a declaration any the more because it was accompanied by a common oath? Indeed, when an individual is compelled to resort to such unwarrantable testimony to prove the truth of his assertions, his word may well be doubted.—Doubted, from the simple reasoning that he who so little regards the God who created him, can surely have but little regard for the subjects of that God; and, consequently, thinks but little of himself. And if man thinks but little of himself how much less must he regard his own word.

But blasphemy is not only foolish but insulting to society at large. The puffing of tobacco smoke into one's face at every step—the fumes of strychnine whiskey meeting one at every corner, are nuisances almost too intolerable to be borne; yet we may school ourselves to submit. But how shall a gentleman or a lady—I use these terms in their true sense—ever be schooled to stand unmoved, unshocked, when they hear the name of that blessed One, who gave us being, and "from whom comes every good and perfect gift," falling from lips that speak it not in reverence.

Should any individual use the name of our Chief Magistrate, on street corners and in the high-way, in half as insulting a manner as the name of God is used, there would be demands made for ropes and lynch law. A thousand patriotic breasts would swell at the insult, and a thousand arms would be ready to avenge it, and justly too, for he who is at the nation's head ought to be held in esteem by those enjoying the benefits of the government which he administers.

But how many are disloyal to Him who rules the world by his power—governs it according to his own sovereign will. They yield not obedience to his commandments—they fight not under his banner—they resist the influence of his spirit which comes to draft them into the army of Christ. And then, adding insult to all else, they use the name of God with as much indifference and contempt, as the friends of the Southern slaveocracy use the name of Abraham Lincoln, and that, too, in the very presence of the friends of the King of Kings. Oh! shame where is thy blush! But more still, blasphemy is a sin against God. He has said, "Take not the name of the Lord thy God in vain." But, blasphemer, how by your acts do you despise his threatenings and treat with indifference his divine commands? Well for you that the prayers of the impenitent are not answered immediately, else your guilty soul would now be eating the bitter fruits of its own hand's planting.

Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

A Word to Church Members.

We have a knowledge of members in some of our churches, who speak long and loud about the sin of intemperance, and profess to weep over the woes it has swept through the land—who speak of homes made desolate, of weeping wives and starving children, who, nevertheless, in the broad light of day, and before the eyes of the world, encourage the rum traffic and aid in swelling its stream of woe, by selling their grain to brewers and distillers. We have a knowledge of a minister having a house rented out in our town for a drinking saloon; yet he preaches against the sin of intemperance. Another, not a thousand miles from this place, whose sermons are very fluent, keeps good liquors in his cellar—so say those who have been treated to a taste—and declares that temperance societies are a nuisance if not *absolutely sinful.* It is not wonderful that under these circumstances there should be some who are weak in the faith, and consequently not only say nothing against the influence of intemperance, but even embrace it and are sometimes found intoxicated—for there are some in our midst who profess to be the followers of Jesus who are in this respect laughing stocks and stumbling blocks for even children. We love the cause of Christ—we love his church, but we must speak the truth, when we say the influence of some ministers and many church members is directly against the progress of temperance.

When will the people of God awake and fully understand and acknowledge the responsibility resting upon them.

"Woe unto him that givest his neighbor drink, that putteth the bottle to him and makest him drunken."

"No drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of God."

ONE HUNDRED

SUN UMBRELLAS, in Cotton, Gingham, Satteen and Silk, all sizes and colors, just opening at the

June 9, 3t.] "MODEL."

NEW STYLES

In DRESS GOODS, SHAWS, &c., can always be seen by calling at the "MODEL."

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THE LATEST ARRIVAL!

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June 9, 3t.] J. & J LOWTHER.

DRESS GOODS, PLAID AND FINE MOZAMBIQUES, STRIPED MOZAMBIQUES, only 25 cts. per yard. FRENCH LAWNS, only 12½ cts. per yard, at the "MODEL."

June. 9, 3t.

HOOP SKIRTS FOR CHILDREN.
HOOP SKIRTS FOR MISSES'
HOOP SKIRTS FOR LADIES,
HOOP SKIRTS, all kinds and sizes, at the "MODEL."

June 9, 3t.]

LADIES CONGRESS HEELED GAITERS, $1.25.
CHILDRENS CONGRESS HEELED GAITERS,
CHILDRENS LASTING HEELED BALMORALS.
MISSES' GAITERS,
all very cheap, at the "MODEL."

June 9, 3t.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE.—Any person desiring intelligence from their friends or relatives in the Army of the Potomac, or in any of the army Hospitals, can receive information by addressing W. J. Keslet, Washington, D. C., enclosing one dollar.

Altoona, June 9 th, 1863.

FOR SALE—Two lots of ground, fronting on Virginia street, nearly opposite the Gas Works; said lots, being Nos. 19 and 20, in the Greenburg Plot, of the borough of Altoona, known as the Patrick Munday property, having thereon erected a double two-story frame dwelling house, and a frame stable. For further information, inquire of E. HAMMOND,

June 9th, 4t.] Hollidaysburg.

WANTED TO RENT—A small house, of seven or eight rooms, suitable for a small family. Any person having such a house for rent in the borough, can hear of a permanent, prompt paying tenant, by addressing the undersigned, stating location, rent, &c.

H. H. SMITH.

June 9th, 1t.] Box No. 66, Altoona P. O.

$10 REWARD.—Strayed away from the premises of the subscriber, in Altoona, on the 13th of May, a BAY MARE, with a severe cut on the inside of the right hind leg, by which she may be easily recognized. She is supposed to be in the neighborhood of Sugar Run or Gallitzin. The above reward will be paid to any person delivering her to the subscriber, or giving information where she may be found.

JOSEPH R. SMITH.

Altoona, June 9th, 1863.-3t.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GROCERIES AND STONE-WARE, just received and for sale at Burkhart's Cheap Grocery Store, corner of Allegheny and Chestnut Sts. [June 2d, 1863, 2t.]

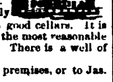
WASTE NOT—WANT NOT.

To the People of Altoona and vicinity.

The undersigned takes this method of informing the Public that he has just arrived from the city and located in Altoona, where he is prepared to buy up OLD WOOLEN RAGS, BRASS, COPPER AND PEWTER. He will pay the highest price in cash for all such articles, at the corner of Allegheny and Branch sts., adjoining W. T. Marriott's store.

May 28, 1863.-3m*.] F. BRADBURY.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The Subscriber offers at Private Sale, a Valuable Property, situate on Branch Street, East Altoona, immediately opposite the Machine Shops.



The house is well built and nearly new, and contains fifteen rooms, with good cellars. It is calculated for three families and at the most reasonable terms will bring $20 per month rent. There is a well of good water in the yard. Terms easy.

Apply to Michael Wyrough, on the premises, or to Jas. Kearney at his store, in East Altoona.

June 2d, 1863-3t.*

From the Front!

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have just returned from the East with their

SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF

HATS & CAPS,

BOOTS & SHOES.

Their stock of HATS & CAPS have been selected with great care, and with the view of suiting all who may favor them with their patronage. Their line of Boots and Shoes is complete.

Their *LADIES' MISSES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES* are of City make, and warranted. Their Balmoral Shoes for Ladies and Misses, are just the thing for wet weather and saving health.

Thankful to the public for their very liberal patronage heretofore, they hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Store on *MAIN ST.* next door to Bowman's Exchange Hotel. SMITH & MANN.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON.

MRS. C. BEITER respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Altoona and vicinity that she has opened a

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

In Jesse Smith's old Stand, on Virginia street, opposite the

LUTHERAN CHURCH,

where she will keep on hand a choice lot of confectioneries nuts, fruit, cakes, etc., which she will sell at the most reasonable prices.

During the season she will also keep Ice Cream, of different flavors, which she will take pleasure in serving to customers at all hours of the day and evening.

Give me a call, and I will give satisfaction.

April 21st, 1863.-6m.

PAINTING, GLAZING and PAPER-HANGING.—The subscriber desires to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he is prepared to undertake any amount of work in his line, and he feels confident, from his long experience in the business, that he can render entire satisfaction both as to prices and the finish he puts upon his work. Estimates made at any time.

Persons having work in my line to execute may save money by calling upon me.

Residence on Harriet street, nearly opposite the United Brethren Church, East Altoona.

J. A. DARR.

April 21, 1863.-2m.

SAPONIFIER,

OR

CONCENTRATED LYE,

THE FAMILY SOAP MAKER.

The PUBLIC are cautioned against the SPURIOUS articles of LYE for making soap, &c., now offered for sale. The only GENUINE and PATENTED LYE is that made by the PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, their trade-mark for it being "SAPONIFIER OR CONCENTRATED LYE." The great SUCCESS of this article has led unprincipled PARTIES to endeavor to IMITATE it, in violation of the Company's PATENTS.

ALL MANUFACTURERS, BUYERS or SELLERS of these SPURIOUS LYES, are hereby notified that the COMPANY have employed as their ATTORNEYS,

GEORGE HARDING, Esq., of Philadelphia, and WILLIAM BAKEWELL, Esq., of Pittsb'g.,

AND THAT ALL MANUFACTURERS, USERS, OR SELLERS OF LYE, in violation of the rights of the Company will be prosecuted at once.

THE SAPONIFIER, or CONCENTRATED LYE, is for sale by all DRUGGISTS, GROCERS AND COUNTRY STORES.

Take Notice!!

The United States Circuit Court, Western District of Western District of Pennsylvania, No. 1 of May Term, in 1862, in suit of the PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY vs THOMAS G. CHASE, decreed to the Company, on November 15, 1862, the EXCLUSIVE right granted by a patent owned by them for the SAPONIFIER. Patent dated October 25, 1856. Perpetual injunction awarded.

THE PENNSYLVANIA

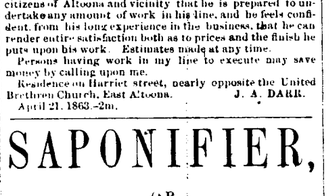
SALT MANUFACTURING CO.

OFFICES:

127 Walnut Street, Philadelphia,

Pitt St. and Duquesne Way, Pittsburg.

May 12, '63. [3 m., Inside.



For Rats, Mice, Roaches, Ants, Bed Bugs, Moths in Furs, Woollens, &c. Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.

Put up in 25c. 50c. and $1 00 Boxes, Bottles, and Flasks, $3 and $5 sizes for HOTELS, PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS &c.

"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"Rats come out of their holes to die."

☞ Sold Wholesale in all large cities

☞ Sold by all DRUGGISTS and RETAILERS everywhere.

☞ BE BEWARE!!! of all worthless imitations.

☞ See that "COSTAR'S" name is on each Box, Bottle and Flask, before you buy.

☞ Address HENRY R. COSTAR,

☞ Principal Depot 482 Broadway, N. Y.

☞ Sold by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona, Pa.

April 7, 1863.-6m*.

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE ALTOONA FAIR VIEW CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will be held on the second Thursday evening of each month, in the Council Room.

M. CLABAUGH, President.

JAS. LOWTHER, Secretary.

[May 15-'62]

FOR RENT.—The basement of Work's new building, on Virginia street, adjoining Kessler's property, is offered for rent. Possession given immediately. For further information, apply to

LAWRENCE P. WORK.

Feb. 24, 1863-tf

LINDSEY'S IMPROVED

BLOOD SEARCHER,

A SURE CURE FOR

Cancer,
Cancerous Formations,
Scrofula,
Cutaneous Diseases,
Erysipelas, Boils,
Pimples on the Face,
Sore Eyes,
Tetter Affections,
Scald Head,
Dyspepsia,
Costiveness,
Old and Stubborn Ulcers
Rheumatic Disorders,
Jaundice,
Salt Rheum,
Mercurial Diseases,
General Debility,
Liver Complaint,
Loss of Appetite,
Low Spirits,
Female Complaints,
Epilepsy or Fits,
Paralysis or Palsy,
Syphilitic Diseases and
Caries of the Bones.

Together with all other diseases having their origin in a depraved condition of the blood or circulatory system.

CASE OF DANIEL A. BOYD.

PITTSBURGH, December 31, 1861.

DR. G. H. KEYSER:—I take pleasure in making this voluntary statement in favor of a medicine prepared by you called "LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER." I had suffered for five years with Scrofula which broke out on my head and forehead so as to disfigure me very much, and took off the hair when the disease made its appearance; it also broke out on my arm above and below the elbow, and eat into the skin and flesh so as to expose a fearful sore. The disease on my head went so far that several small pieces of bone came out. I was very weak and low spirited, and had given up all hope of ever getting well, as I had tried several skillful physicians and they did me no good. In September last, 1861, I was induced to try "LINDSEY'S IMPROVED BLOOD SEARCHER." I must confess I had no faith in patent medicines, but after I had used three bottles of Blood Searcher, the ulcers on my head and arm began to heal. I have now taken eight or ten bottles, and my head and arm are entirely well except the scars remaining from the sores. I will also state that I had the rheumatism very bad in my arms and legs. The Blood Searcher also cured the rheumatism. I am now a well man, over forty years of age, and I feel as supple and young as I did when I was twenty, and have increased in weight twenty pounds. I would also state that the disease in my forehead was so bad that when I stooped and lifted anything heavy, the blood run out of the sore. Dr. Keyser had a photograph taken of me by Mr. Cargo, the artist, after I began to get well. It does not show my appearance as bad as it was before I commenced taking the medicine. You can see the photograph, one of which is now in my possession, and also at Dr. Keyser's 140 Wood street. I would also state that I took the Blood Searcher which was made before Dr. Keyser commenced making it. Although it helped me some, I did not recover fast until I got the kind made by Dr. Keyser himself. One bottle of his did me more good than two of the old. I believe it is a great deal stronger and better. I have recommended the Blood Searcher to a great many of my friends for various diseases, and I believe it has helped the whole of them. You may publish this if you wish, and I am anxious that all who are afflicted as I was may be cured. I live in this city, No. 4 Pine street, and am employed at Collville & Anderson's Union Marble Works, 54 Wayne street.

DANIEL A. BOYD.

A BLIND MAN CURED.

I live in Sligo, at Clinton Mill and have been nearly blind in both eyes for nearly four years. I called on Dr. Keyser about three months ago and asked him to give me directions to the Institution for the Blind in Philadelphia. He told me that I had not go to Philadelphia to get well as he had medicine that would cure me, as he said my disease was in the blood. I was treated for it two or three times in the hospital in this city, and was relieved, but my disease always returned after a month or two after I came out of the hospital. I found my disease was returning and I called, by the advice of a good friend of mine, on Dr. Keyser, who has restored my sight, and my eyes are nearly as well as ever. The Doctor gave me "Lindsey's Blood Searcher" and a wash.

DAVID KINNOLLY,
Clinton Mills, Sligo.

Pittsburg, July 5, 1861.

Witness—E. F. M'Elroy, Anderson street, Allegheny City.

A BAD SORE LEG CURED.

PITTSBURGH, September 18, 1861.—I hereby certify that I have had a sore leg for over a year. It was covered with ulcers and sores so that I could not work for nearly a year. My leg swelled so that I was unable to do anything for a long time, for at least six months. I tried several of the best doctors in the city, but without any benefit; finally I called on Dr. Keyser, at No. 140 Wood street, who only attended me about two weeks, and gave me but two bottles of medicine, and I am now entirely well and have continued so for six months. I am employed at the Eagle Engine House on Fourth street, where any one can see me.

THOMAS FARRELL.

CANCER CURED.

A LETTER FROM ENGLAND.—Mr. John Pope, of Blaenavon, near Montypool, Monmontshire, England, writes as follows:

SIR:—An old woman in this place has wished me to write you respecting LINDSEY'S BLOOD SEARCHER, from which she found great benefit, and wishes to have a little more. She has been suffering from a disease of a cancerous nature for the last six or seven years. Her daughter who is living in America, obtained it for her, and sent her eighteen bottles. She is now quite out of it, and I have written to her daughter twice and have received no answer; of course she is anxious to get more, to get completely cured. I told her I would write to you for the agency in this country, and she felt very much pleased to hear me say so. I now beg to ask you on what terms you will supply me; you will please bear in mind the carriage, and supply me as cheap as possible. The carriage on the one dozen bottles was £1 8s 6d. The medicine was a present from her daughter. I would like to have the Blood Searcher in a jar or small cask, if you can send it in that way, or in pint or quart bottles. I will send a bill through bank or registered letter, which ever will be most convenient to you, if you will send me carrier's receipt of the parcel as security. I would send you a stamp to answer this, but as it is uncertain of this reaching you, on account of the country being in six and seven, a term which is commonly used, you will be kind enough to charge me with the postage.

Yours, respectfully,
JOHN POPE.

[Signed]

[We have seen the letter which is published in to-day's *Dispatch*, from John Pope, and believe it to be genuine.—*Editors Dispatch Pittsburgh.*

☞ *Look for Dr. Keyser's name over the cork to prevent being imposed upon.*

Prepared and sold by Dr GEORGE H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh Pa.

Sold in Altoona by A. ROUSH and G. W. KESSLER; in Hollidaysburg by J. R. PATTON and JACOB ESTHER.

June 30, 1862.-1y

HELMBOLD'S

GENUINE

PREPARATIONS

"HIGHLY CONCENTRATED"
COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU,
A Positive and Specific Remedy
For Diseases of the BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL AND DROPSICAL SWELLINGS.

This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCAREOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS, are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMMATION, and is good for MEN, WOMEN OR CHILDREN.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUBHU.

For weakness arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuse.

ATTENDED WITH THE FOLLOWIAG SYMPTOMS:

Indisposition to Exertion,	Difficulty of Breathing,
Loss of Memory	Loss of Power,
Weak Nerves,	Trembling,
Horror of Disease,	Wakefulness,
Dimness of Vision,	Pain in the Back,
Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System,	
Hot Hands,	Flushing of the Body,
Dryness of the Skin,	Eruptions of the Face.

PALLID COUNTENANCE.

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follows IMPOTENCY, FATUITY EPILEPTIC FITS, in one of which the patient may expire.

Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "DIREFUL DISEASES,"

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,
BUT NONE WILL CONFESS
THE RECORDS OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS,
And the melancholy Deaths by Consumption bear ample witness to the truth of the assertion.

THE CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS,

Requires the aid of medicine to strengthen and invigorate the System, which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU invariably does. A trial will convince the most skeptical

FEMALES! FEMALES!!

OLD OR YOUNG, SINGLE, MARRIED OR CONTEMPLATING MARRIAGE.

In many affections peculiar to Females, the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequaled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Scirrhous state of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or in the

DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE.
SEE SYMPTOMS ABOVE.

No Family Should be Without It.

Take no more Balsam, Mercury, or unpleasant Medicine for unpleasant and dangerous diseases.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUBHU.

AND

IMPROVED ROSE WASH

CURES SECRET DISEASES

In all their stages,	At little Expense,
Little or no change in Diet,	No inconvenience
	And no Exposure.

It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to Urinate, thereby Removing Obstructions, Preventing and Curing Strictures of the Urethra. Allaying Pain and Inflamation so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling all Poisonous Diseases and worn-out Matter.

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS who have been the victims of Quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found that they were deceived, and that the "POISON" has, by the use of "powerful astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and perhaps after Marriage.

USE HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU for all affections and diseases of the

URINARY ORGANS,
Whether existing in
MALE OR FEMALE,
From whatever cause originating, and no matter at
HOW LONG STANDING.

Diseases of these organs require the aid of a DIURETIC

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Is the Great DIURETIC, and is certain to have the desired effect in all diseases for which it is recommended.

Evidence of the most reliable and responsible character will accompany the medicines.

Certificates of Cures, from eight to twenty years standing, with names known to science and fame.

Price $1,00 Per Bottle, or Six for $5,

Delivered to any address, securely packed from any observation.

DESCRIBE SYMPTOMS IN ALL COMMUNICATIONS.

Cures Guaranteed. Advice Gratis.

AFFIDAVIT.

Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, who being duly sworn, doth say, his preparation contains no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable.

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1854. W. P. HIBBARD, Alderman,
Ninth St., above Race, Phila.

Address letters for information in confidence to

H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist,
Depot, 104 South Tenth-St., below Chestnut,
Philadelphia, Penn.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS AND UNPRINCIPLED DEALERS,

Who endeavor to dispose of "OF THEIR OWN" and "OTHER" articles on the reputation attained by

Helmbold's Genuine Preparations.

do	do	Extract Buchu,
do	do	do Sarsaparilla,
do	do	Improved Rose Wash.

Sold by Druggists every-where. Take no other. Cut out the advertisement and send for it, and avoid imposition and exposure.

September 11th, 1862-1y

THE UNION FOREVER!

GOOD NEWS!

GODFREY WOLF would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a

CLOTHING STORE,

On Corner of Main and Caroline Streets,

where he will keep on hand a large stock of ready-made clothing consisting of DRESS COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS, OVERALLS, KNIT JACKETS, &c., at Philadelphia prices.

HATS & CAPS!

Have a large and varied stock of hats and caps which is well for to the advantage of all to examine before purchasing elsewhere. Also, a fine stock of Gents' Furnishing goods, such as shirts, collars, neck-ties, handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, &c.

Determined to sell, I have marked my goods at the very lowest figures, and feel confident that all will be satisfied with the price and quality of my stock.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

THE Early Physical Degeneracy of

AMERICAN PEOPLE.

JUST PUBLISHED BY DR. A. STONE

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute.

A Treatise on the Causes of Early Physical decline of American People: the cause of Nervous Debility, Consumption and Marasmus.

This work is one of high moral tone, written in chaste, yet thrilling language, and appeals directly to the moral consciousness of ALL PARENTS and Guardians especially, detailing scientific and reliable aids and treatment for cure.

It will be sent by mail on the receipt of two (3 cent) stamps.

The Parents and Guardians! Fail not to send and obtain this book.

The Young men! Fail not to send and get this book.

The Adults! You too should at once secure a copy of this book.

A Word of Solemn Conscientious Advice to those who will reflect.

A class of maladies prevail to a fearful extent in the community, dooming at least 100,000 youth of both sexes annually to an early grave. Those diseases are very imperfectly understood. Their external manifestation, or symptoms are Nervous Debility, Relaxation and Emaciation; Marasmus or wasting and consumption of the tissues of the whole body; shortness of breathing or hurried breathing on ascending a hill or flight of stairs; great palpitation of the Heart; Asthma, Bronchitis and sore Throat; shaking of the Hands and limbs; aversion to society and to business or study; dimness of eye sight, loss of Memory, dizziness of the Head, Neuralgia, Pain in various parts of the body; Pains in the back or limbs, Lumbago, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, irregularity of the bowels, deranged secretions of the Kidneys and other glands of the body, as Leucorrhœa or Fleur Albus, &c. Likewise Epilepsy, Hysteria and Nervous Spasms.

Now in ninety-nine cases out of every one hundred, all of the above named disorders, and a host of others not named, as Consumption of the Lungs and that most insidious and wily form of consumption of the Spinal Nerves, known as Tabes Dorsalis, and Tabes mesaraica, have their seat and origin in diseases of the Pelvic Viscera. Hence the want of success on the part of old school practice in treating symptoms only.

Dr. Andrew Stone, Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institution, is now engaged in treating this class of modern maladies with the most astonishing success. The treatment adopted by the Institution is new; it is based upon scientific principles, with new discovered remedies, without minerals or poisons. The facilities of cure are such that patients can be cured at their homes, in any part of the country, from accurate descriptions of their case, by letter; and have the medicines sent by Mail or express. Printed interrogatories will be forwarded on application.

Consumption, Catarrh and diseases of the throat cured as well at the Home of the Patients as at the Institution, by sending the Cold Medicated INHALING HALATING VAPORS, with inhaler and ample directions for their use, and direct correspondence.

Patients applying for interrogatives or advice, must enclose return stamps, to meet attention.

The attending Physician will be found at the Institution for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., each day. Sunday in the forenoon.

Address DR. ANDREW STONE.

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute, and Physician for Diseases of the Heart, Throat and Lungs, 92 Fifth Street, Troy, N. Y.

Altoona, Dec. 30th, 1862.-1y.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety. He has also an

ICE CREAM SALOON

attached to his store, in which he will serve up ICE CREAM in the best style during the season.

FRESH-BAKED

BREAD, CAKES, & PIES,

always on hand, at reasonable rates.

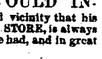
He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction to all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two doors below Patton's Hall.

OTTO ROSSI.

Altoona, April 28, 1863-tf.

WM. S. BITTNER
Dental Surgeon.



OFFICE IN MASONIC TEMPLE, next door to the Post Office.

Dr. B. would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he is prepared to insert

ARTIFICIAL TEETH!

from a single tooth to a full set, in the most superior style,

ON GOLD, SILVER, OR VULCANITE BASE.

It would be to the advantage of all persons desiring artificial teeth, to call at his office before going elsewhere, if they wish cheapness, beauty or durability.

Full sets of teeth on vulcanite base, as low as $10 to $15.

" " " on silver " " " 10 to 15

" " " on gold " " " 50

EVERY SET OF TEETH WARRANTED.

Dr. Bittner will visit Hollidaysburg and vicinity when his services are desired. [Feb. 17, 1863-tf.

A FARM AT PRIVATE SALE.

A RARE CHANCE FOR CAPITALISTS!

GRABILL MYERS offers his Farm, containing 225 acres, for sale. 100 acres are cleared and under good cultivation; the balance is timbered with Chestnut and Oak. It is situated in Logan township,

THREE MILES NORTH-EAST OF ALTOONA, PA.,

where there is a Market almost equal to any city in the State. It cannot fail of being a good investment, as the surrounding lands must increase in value in a ratio with the improvements of the town. The buildings are a good Dwelling House, a new Bank Barn, and all other out-buildings. There are on the premises 100 Apple Trees—choice Fruit—Peach, Pear, Plum and Cherry Trees.—The soil is Red Shale, second only to Limestone. For further particulars call and see the Farm, or address

G. L. MYERS,

April 21, 1863.* Altoona, Pa.

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,

Corner of Annie and Harriet Streets,

EAST ALTOONA.

THE subscribers would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona, that they have just received and keep constantly on hand a supply of "Pattersville Extra," and Extra Family Flour, in barrels, and ¼ and ⅛ barrels in sacks; also, Chop and Corn Meal, Butter and Eggs fresh from the country; also, an extensive stock of Groceries, consisting of Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Coffee, &c., &c., also, Ham, Bacon, Dried Beef, Fish of all kinds, Salt, Crackers, Cheese, Spices, Tobacco, Cigars, Buckets, Brooms, Tubs, Brushes, Dried Fruit, Confectioneries, Queensware, Glassware, Coal Oil Lamps, Coal Oil, Fish Oil, &c., &c., &c., all of which we propose to sell at small profits FOR CASH.

Altoona, Jan. 1, '63-6m. D. M. BARE & CO.

WEST BRANCH INSURANCE CO., LOCK HAVEN, PA.

PREMIUM NOTES IN FORCE.....405,000.

Insures property on as reasonable terms as are consistent with security.

DIRECTORS:

G. C. Harvey,	O. D. Satterlee,
J. R. Hall,	Jacob Brown,
F. M. Price,	Allison White,
Simon Scott,	C. A. Mayer,
Alex. Sloan,	W. Fenton.

O. D. SATTERLEE, V. P. G. C. HARVEY, Pres't.

J. W. CHAPMAN, Secretary.

July 3, '62-1y.] R. A. O. KERR, Agent, Altoona.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by

J. B. HILEMAN.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses and Shoulder Braces for sale at

G. W. KESSLER'S.

NORTH WARD AHEAD!

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

AT OLD PRICES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESpectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country that he has just returned from the east, where he has been selecting his stock of spring and Summer Goods, which for style, quality and Price cannot be surpassed in this neck of country. His stock is much larger than heretofore, and, as it is quite an object in these war-exciting times for every one to purchase where they can get the BEST article at the LOWEST PRICE, he would say that he can and will sell AS LOW, if not A LITTLE LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE in this place. He wishes all to call and see his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident he can offer inducements which will DEFY COMPETITION. His stock consists of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

MEN AND BOYS' SUMMER WEAR,

LADIES' AND MISSES' DRESS SHOES,

MEN AND BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES,

MEN AND WOMEN'S HOSE, HATS AND CAPS,

Ginghams, Lawns, Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Dried Peaches and Dried Apples, Plain and Canvassed Hams, &c., &c., &c.

He will sell the AMERICAN PRINTS at 12½ cents.
FAST MADDER COLORS, 10 "
FANCY DELAINES, from 12½ to 25 "
Fine Bleached MUSLINS yard wide, 12½ "
" " " ¾ " 10 "
" " " ⅞ " 6¼ "
Heavy Unbl'ched " yard " 12½ "
" " " ⅞ " 8 and 10 "
LAWNS, from 8 to 15 "
LADIES' SLIPPERS, from 40 to 50 "
" Fine, French, Sewed, Heeled BOOTEES, $1 25
" Pegged " 1 00
MEN'S CALF BOOTS, 2 75
" GOAT " 2 50
BOYS' GOAT, (Nos. 4 and 5,) 1 50
MEN AND BOYS' OXFORD TIES, from 75 cents to 1 00
MEN'S CALF MONROES, 1 00
All sizes of MISSES' & CHILDREN'S SHOES, very low

GROCERIES! Rio Coffee at 25 cents, White Sugar 11 and 12½ cents, Brown Sugar from 7 to 10 cts.; Best Honey and Lovering's Syrup, at 50 cts.; Sugar House Molasses, 40 cts.; Baking Molasses, 31 to 40 cts.; together with Cedar and Willow Ware; Flour, Feed, &c., and all other articles of Goods just as low as any other house can sell. Please call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

J. A. SPRANKLE.

Altoona, May 1, 1862.] North Ward.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!!

Virginia St., Altoona, Pa.

D. W. A. BELFORD, Proprietor.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EMPORIUM OF FASHION" would respectfully announce to the public that he has received a large invoice of

CLOTHS,

CASSIMERES,

VESTINGS,

and a general assortment of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., &c.,

exactly suited to this locality and intended for the

AUTUMN AND WINTER TRADE.

The proprietor of the Emporium invites an examination of his stock, feeling confident that his shelves present a greater variety of plain and fancy goods than can be found elsewhere in the country. An examination will convince any one of this fact.

He has also received the

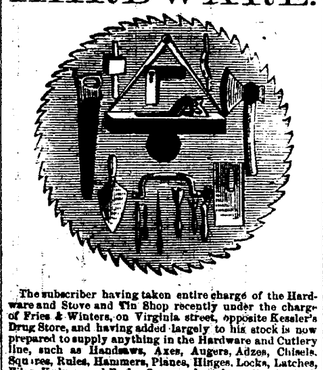
LATEST FASHION,

and being a perfect "Cutter," he has no hesitancy in saying that he can make up clothing in the fashion, and in a manner that can not fail to prove satisfactory. It has passed into a proverb that

Belford's the very man that can make,
Clothes in the fashion, strong and cheap;
All that have ever tried him yet,
Say that he really can be beat.

Remember the place, Virginia street, first door above Jaggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.

HARDWARE.



The subscriber having taken entire charge of the Hardware and Stove and Tin Shop recently under the charge of Fries & Winters, on Virginia street, opposite Kessler's Drug Store, and having added largely to his stock is now prepared to supply anything in the Hardware and Cutlery line, such as Handsaws, Axes, Augers, Adzes, Chisels, Squares, Rules, Hammers, Planes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Files, Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., all of which he offers on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing anything in the Hardware line are requested to call and examine his stock.

He has also added Oils, Paints, Carbon Oil, etc., to his stock, and will dispose of all these articles at a small advance on first cost.

He will also continue the

STOVE BUSINESS,

and will keep on hand an assortment from which any person will be able to select an article to please their fancy.

In the line of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE,

CEDAR and WILLOW-WARE,

he will always have a large supply, and will make to order anything that may be called for.

Job work in this line promptly attended to.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING

put up on short notice in the best style.

April 21, 1863.-tf. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

HARDWARE!

HARDWARE

CHARLES J. MANN,

DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE,

WOODEN WARE, BROOMS, WINDOW SHADES, DOOR MATS, UPHOLSTERING GOODS, SHOE FINDINGS, COFFIN TRIMMINGS, MOULDERS' TOOLS, BIRD CAGES AND WIRE GOODS, WINDOW GLASS, PUTTY, WHITE LEAD, &C., &C.

Every description of Goods in his line will be furnished at short notice, and at low rates for cash.

His remaining stock of DRY GOODS on hand will be closed out at remarkably low prices, in order to relinquish that branch of the business.

Agent for Willson's "Telegraph Fodder Cutter."

Altoona, May 29th, 1862.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE!!

THE PROPERTY known as the Greenburg School Property, situate in North Ward, adjoining lots of Wm. Dent, and W. A. B. Lash, is, in accordance with a resolution of the School Board, offered at Private Sale. This is a desirable property, there being TWO FULL LOTS OF GROUND AND A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE. With a little expense the house can be made to accommodate two families.

For further information inquire of Wm. Boyden, J. B Hileman, James Lowther, A. Maxwell, H. C. Dern, or Jno. A. Baer, School Directors.

WM. BOYDEN.

May 12, 1863-tf.] Pres't Altoona School Board.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE!

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS for sale, or exchange for property in Altoona, a house and two lots of ground, situate in the village of New Washington Indiana county, Pa. The house is a TWO-STORY FRAME BUILDING, 29 by 36 feet, fronting on two streets, with granery, stables and other out buildings. There is also a variety of FRUIT TREES and SHRUBBERY on the premises, together with a well of excellent water at the door. The lots are 60 feet front by 160 feet deep. Possession given at any time. Any further information can be had by applying to John Brandon, of Armagh, or the subscriber, at Altoona.

LAWRENCE P. WORK.

Feb. 26, 1863-tf.

ONWARD! ONWARD!!

EXCELSIOR OUR MOTTO!

NOW OPEN

On the corner of Branch and Annie Streets,

EAST ALTOONA.

AN ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF GOODS!

HAVING DISPOSED OF THE entire stock of old goods in the above stand at auction, we desire to say to the public that we have just opened out an

ENTIRELY NEW STOCK

to which we invite the attention of the public. We are determined to sell at the

VERY LOWEST PRICES.

Our stock embraces a large and complete assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting, in part, of plain and fancy Silks, all-wool Delaines, Alpacas, Challie Delaines, plain and figured Berege, Lawns, Ginghams, Ducals, De Barge, Travelling Dress Goods, and all the

LATEST STYLE PRINTS.

Men's Wear.

We have received a large and well selected stock of GENTLEMEN'S DRESS GOODS, such as Cloths, plain and fancy Cassimeres, Cashmeretts, Tweeds, Jeans, Corduroys, Beaver Teens, Velvet Cords, and other fashionable goods for men and boys.

WHITE GOODS.

Irish Linen, Cambrics, Victoria Lawns, plain and dotted Swiss, Bobinets, Edgings, &c.

We have a large assortment of Ladies' Needlework Collars and Sets, Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Gloves, Gauntlets, Mitts, Hosiery, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Veils, &c. Also, Ticking, Checks, bleached and unbleached Muslins, Cotton and Linen Diaper, Crash, &c.

Also, a fine assortment of

SPRING SHAWLS.

We have received a large lot of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

LADIES' GAITERS,

HATS & CAPS, SHAKER BONNETS, &c.,

which we are determined to sell cheaper than ever.

QUEENSWARE,

CEDAR AND WILLOW-WARE,

HARDWARE,

Groceries, Flour,
Bacon, Cheese,
Syrups, Molasses,
Mackerel, Herring,
Carbon Oil, Fish Oil,
Drugs and Medicines,

and, in fact, everything usually kept in a first-class Store.

As we make our purchases almost entirely for cash, and as we will sell for

CASH ONLY,

AND KEEP NO BOOKS, it will enable us to sell Goods at very moderate prices; and by fair dealing and strict attention to business we hope to secure a liberal share of public patronage.

GEIS & CO.

Altoona, April 15, 1862-tf

ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,

Snuff & Tobacco MANUFACTURER,

16 & 18, CHAMBERS ST.,

(Formerly 42 Chatham St., New York.)

would call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz.:

BROWN SNUFF.

Macaboy, Demigros, Fine Rappee, Coarse Rappee.
Pure Virginia, Nachitoches, American
Gentleman, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.

Scotch, Honey Dew Scotch, High Toast Scotch.
Fresh Honey Dew Scotch, Irish High
Toast, or Lundyfoot, Fresh Scotch.

Attention is called to the great reduction in prices of Fine-Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos, which will be found of a superior quality.

TOBACCO.

SMOKING.—Long, No. 1, No. 2, Nos. 1 and 2 mixed, Granulated, S. Jago, Spanish, Canaster, Turkish.

FINE CUT CHEWING.—P. A. L., or plain, Cavendish, or Sweet, Sweet Scented Oronoco, Tin Foil Cavendish.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application.

April 14, 63,-1y.]

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH!

VICKSBURG REPORTED TAKEN!

L. Plack's the place to get your Bacon!

I would respectfully inform the public in general, that I have lately been West and purchased one of the best and largest lots of

SUGAR-CURED HAMS & SHOULDERS

ever brought to this market. I have 2500 Hams and 700 Shoulders, which I will sell at reasonable prices. Persons wishing to buy by the quantity will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I will sell at Pittsburgh market prices.

March 31st, 1863.] LOUIS PLACK.

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale EIGHT BUILDING LOTS, situate on the top of the hill, above the reservoir of the Altoona Gas & Water Company, being now held as property by the Presbyterian Church. The lots are fifty feet front by 175 feet deep, and will be sold on reasonable terms. Persons wishing to purchase or view these lots will receive all information concerning them, by applying to Michael Clabaugh, R. H. McCormick, Alexander McCormick, or Chas. J. Mann, Trustees of Presbyterian Church. [Altoona, April 3, 1862.

ANDREW ECKEL,

DEALER IN

Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, &c., &c.,

Annie street, Altoona, Pa., and McKeage's Old Stand, Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT of Goods in his line constantly on hand at the lowest cash prices. [Feb. 7, 1863.

DRIED APPLES.—The subscribers have a fine lot of bright yellow DRIED APPLES, bought at much less than market rates, and which they desire to close out, at cost and carriage, without delay.—Persons desiring to purchase, either at wholesale or retail, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.] MURPHY & McPIKE.

S. M. WOODKOK,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Altoona, Penn'a,

Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties. Office on Virginia Street, 2 doors above Julia Street.

Feb. 3, 1863-tf.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Protection Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Blair county, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise Furniture and property of every description*, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the *Tribune* office.

E. B. McCRUM, *Agent.*

MUSIC!—INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN on the Piano-Forte and Melodeon, by Miss M. SHOEMAKER. TERMS, $10 per quarter. No charge for the use of the Instrument. Residence on Catharine Street, West Altoona. [Jan. 16, 1862.-tf.

H. B. MILLER,

DENTIST.

Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets, Altoona. [Jan. 20—2m*

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome, Green, Yellow, Paris Green, dry and ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

GREAT PILES OF PANTALOONS for Men and Boys, at LAUGHMAN'S

R. A. O. KERR,

ALTOONA, PA.,

Agent for Blair & Huntingdon Counties.

THESE MACHINES ARE ADMITto be the best ever offered to the public, and their superiority is satisfactorily established by the fact that in the last eight years,

OVER 1,400 MORE

of these Machines have been sold than of any other manufactured, and more medals have been awarded the proprietors by different Fairs and Institutes than to any others. The Machines are warranted to do all that is claimed for them. They are now in use in several families in Altoona, and in every case they give entire satisfaction.

The Agent refers those desiring information as the superiority of the Machines, to Col. John L. Piper, Rev. A. B Clark, George Hawkesworth, Benj. F. Rose, and E. H. Turner, Esqrs.

The machines can be seen and examined at the store of the Agent, at Altoona.

Price of No. 1 Machine, silver plated, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$65. No. 2, ornamental bronze, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$55. No. 3, plain, with old style Hemmer—$45. [March 21, 1861-tf.

POKED OUT AGAIN!

The undersigned would respectfully solicit the patronage of the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, as he has again opened out

AT HIS OLD STAND,

on Virginia st., a few doors below the Supt's Office,

with an entirely new and fresh supply of

PROVISIONS AND GROCERIES,

such as

FLOUR, BACON, FISH, SALT, POTATOES,

CHEESE, CORN-MEAL, MILL-FEED

OATS, RYE, CORN,

TEAS of all kinds, COFFEE, SUGAR, SYRUPS, BAKING MOLASSES, TOBACCO, SEGARS, DRIED FRUIT, SOAP, CANDLES, BROOMS, BRUSHES, Crockery, Wooden and Willow Ware, Stationery, Notions, Candies, &c. Also a large stock of

LIQUORS!

All the above goods will be sold, Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest prices. Come one—come all! See for yourselves, and be convinced. No charge for examining my stock. LOUIS PLACK.

April 17, '62-tf.

STOVES,

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESpectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has taken the store and shop recently occupied by Fries & Winters, on *Annie street, East Altoona*, where he has on hand a large supply of STOVES of *all Patterns*, such as Cook, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves, which he will sell at the most reasonable prices. A large supply will always be kept on hand

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, in great variety, always on hand.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

April 21st, 1863.-tf STEPHEN WINTERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTfully informs the public that he will continue to keep a

BOOT & SHOE STORE,

in the room recently occupied by Roberts and Rutherford. The business heretofore carried on by them will, in the future, be in the name of JOHN H. ROBERTS.

He will keep constantly on hand a complete assortment of

Boots & Shoes,

GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., &c.

which he will offer at fair prices and warrant to be of the best material and manufacture. Particular attention will be given to

CUSTOM WORK,

in which he warrants to give entire satisfaction, as he buys the best stock and employs none but the best workmen.

Remember the old stand, on Virginia Street, one door East of Keseler's Drug Store.

Oct. 10 1862-tf JOHN H. ROBERTS.

CARPETINGS & BEDDING.

REMOVAL.

R. L. KNIGHT & SON

Have removed from 262 S. Second Street, to

807 CHESTNUT ST., above Eighth,

where they have opened a well-selected stock of

CARPETS, OIL-CLOTHS & MATTINGS,

BEDDING AND MATTRESSES

of every description, Ready-made or made to orders

FEATHERS.

Various qualities always on hand.

The Manufacture and sale of Bedding will also be continued at 262 S. Second Street.

April 14, 1863. R. L. KNIGHT.

[3m.] EARTLEY KNIGHT.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.—The undersigned is about starting a Tannery, and wishes to buy or trade for

400 CORDS

of good ROCK OAK BARK, and also for HIDES, for which the highest market price will be paid.

Altoona, April 17, '62-tf. LOUIS PLACK.

J. G. ARLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

October 1, 1857.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.—A large and varied stock of FRESH GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, just received, and for sale as cheap as the cheapest, at MURPHY & McPIKE'S Store, Cor. of Virginia and Caroline sts.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Gent's Model Improved SHIRTS—Cassimere and Muslin Shirts—fine and coarse—white and colored—at LAUGHMAN'S.

OYES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [jan. 2 '56.

NEW AND IMPROVED STYLES of Trunks, Valises and Carpet-Bags, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW WINTER READY MADE Clothing just received at LAUGHMAN'S.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

MEN AND BOYS' COATS, of every style and color, of good quality, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES for Men and Boys. Ladies and Misses, just rec'd at LAUGHMAN'

AMERICAN Life Insurance and Trust Co.

COMPANY'S BUILDING Southeast Corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, Philad'a.

Authorized Capital,..... $500,000
Paid up Capital,..... 250,000
Assets,..... 1,897,746

Incorporated 1850, by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Insures Lives during the Natural life or for short terms, grants annuities and endowments, and makes contracts of all kinds depending on the issues of life.

Policies of Life Insurance issued at the usual mutual rates of other good companies—with profits to the assured—last BONUS January, 1861, being 43 per cent. of all premiums received on mutual policies—at Joint Stock rates, 20 per cent less than the above, or Total Abstinence rates 40 per cent. less than Mutual price. Also, a

NON-FORFEITURE PLAN,

By which a person pays for 5, 7, or 10 years only, when the policy is paid up for LIFE, and nothing more to pay; and should he be unable, or wish to discontinue sooner, the Company will issue a PAID UP POLICY, in proportion to the amount of premium paid, as follows:

On a Policy of $1,000,	5 Year rates.	7 Year rates.	10 Year rates.
1 Annual Premium, for	$200 00	$142 85	$100 00
2 " " "	400 00	285 70	200 00
4 " " "	800 00	571 40	400 00
6 " " "	——	857 10	600 00
8 " " "	——	——	800 00

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.
SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.
JOHN S. WILSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Alexander Whilldin,	J. Edgar Thomson,
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William J. Howard,	Charles F. Heaslitt.

Samuel Work.

Any further information can be had by applying to the undersigned, who is the authorized agent for Blair County.

July 31, 1862 1y R. A. O. KERR.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which when examined always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to fit me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26—3m JACOB SNYDER.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug 19, 1858-tf. G. W. KESSLER.

Stoves, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

SPOUTING, &C.

RIGG WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

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NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly,) To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,

Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette.

15-tf] *New York City*

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

SOMETHING NEW.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST returned from the east where he has purchased a very large and fine stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

BROGANS, GAITERS, &C.,

which he is prepared to offer to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity at very low prices. Having purchased direct from the manufacturers for cash, he is prepared to sell at prices that will defy competition. All that he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

BOOTS and SHOES made to order on the most reasonable terms. Also, repairing promptly attended to.

Don't forget the place, two doors below Post Office.

Jan. 3, 1861. M. THOMPSON, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.

Jan. 24, '56-tf]

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Philadelphia. For the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Chronic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of diseases of the Sexual Organs. Medical advice given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon. Valuable reports on Spermatorria or Seminal Weakness, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the New Remedies employed in the Dispensary, sent to the afflicted in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three Stamps for postage will be acceptable.

Address, DR. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2, South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. [June 22, 1862.-1y.

EXCELLENT HEAVY BOOTS & SHOES just received at LAUGHMAN'S

DO YOU WANT A HAT OR CAP, cheap or fine?—go to LAUGHMAN'S.

HUTTER'S

STATE CAPITOL

Book Bindery,

AND BLANK BOOK MANUFACTORY

No. 54 Market St., Harrisburg, Pa.

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